

Around The Circle

Clarke College

Dr. James C. Read, Dean

Since 1908

Ms. Joy S. Munn, Editor

On Thursday night, September 13, 1990, the student Body Association of Clark College Sponsored a Variety show. The hosts of the event were Bret Prather and our new, and extremely "creative" B.S.U. Director, Lawrence White. Originally, our plan was to promote this activity as Talent Show and offer prizes. However, due to the fact that several future stars "chickened out" or were signed up without their prior knowledge, we decided to call this a Variety Show.

Those present witnessed some outstanding talent. The participants were as follows: Crystal Loper, Trina Davis, Charlie Case, Sondra Davidson, and last -- but certainly not LEAST, Lawrence White sang his own rendition of the song "Open Arms" entitled "Broken Arms." Needless to say, (if you know Lawrence at all) this was not a somber song. In fact, rumor has it that several people--faculty and staff included--were seen rolling in the aisles!

Lawrence and Bret also lightened the mood with a Top Ten listing of the "All Time Stupid Remarks Heard on Clarke's campus." The student's favorite seemed to be: "What? Only \$745.00 for a meal ticket?" Another favorite was "Go-o-o-o-lly! What a big campus!"

We were also entertained by Mary Bates "Candy Store" skit. After securing "volunteers" (okay--okay, after drafting various members of the audience) like Joy Munn and Bryan Burt(the doors), Keith "Smitty" Smith (the flashing sign), Deana Coleman and Shea Robinson(the counter), Jan Mckinley(the telephone), Scott Poag(the cash register) and Shelia Bowden(the customer).

We will have a real Talent Show in the Spring with monetary (\$\$\$\$) prizes! So start practicing now--the competition will be tough.



Dear God I really don't
know what to do

Sometimes I want my life
to be done & through

I try & try so hard to
put my trust in you

Oh dear Lord, please come
and tell me what to do

My life sometimes seems
like a glass that's shattered

These days in life
nothing really seems to matter

I sometimes put up a
front so my friends can't see

All the sorrowful
feelings and emotions that are
deep inside of me

Lord, Please show me in a
dream

How a good life is really
supposed to seem

There's one more thing I
have to say in your dear name,
Oh Lord, I Pray

Come and save this world
from sin and make this
nightmare come to an end.

Amen

by: Trina

MATCH YOUR FAVORITE SAYING WITH THE PICTURE

#1 Ernie: I knew it would
only be a matter of
time before my
bills started
coming, disguised
as mail from home.

David: Yeah.

#2 No, no! Really!
This is my box!

#3 The new post office
surveillance camera
catches yet another
satisfied customer.

#4 What we're really
looking for is our
Publisher Clearing
House Sweepstakes!

#5 There's nothing
like being at
Clarke College at
mail time.

#6 Hey! Are those
Bugle Boy Jeans
that you're
wearing?

#7 Ernie! Quick! Hide
that non-Christian
logo on your shirt!



FROM THE FUNNY FARM

The cow I've searched for
I found at last
The cow who brightened up my
past.

I was diggin' a hole
and digging it deep
to place the tears that I did
weep.

When much to my surprise
and awe
I looked up from my hole and
saw

The biggest blue-eyed beauty
living.
To me, my cow, a look was
given

This look said more than
moo's could say
and drove all of my blues away

She was back
and had not been eaten
and calmed my lonely
heart from beatin'!

And now you'll see us
cow and man
the best of friends
together again.

DO YOU KNOW WHAT I AM?

Do you like a good challenge -
Well try this.

The cow is over the moon.
There is only one cow that can
be on the moon at one time.
Where can we get milk from if
nobody has any cows. Who
really cares? I hate milk.
What do you think about that
problem? To examine the
situation carefully you must
look at the cows point of
view. The cow hates those
cold machines that drain the
milk that feeds that loving
calf. The mother can only
mourn the loss of her milk.
The cow is stupid and does not
really realize that her milk
is gone. So who really cares
what the cow thinks,
especially a cow on the moon.
Rare meat is nasty. Cows have
red meat. People that have
nothing better to do eat red
meat. I don't like milk
either. White is the color of
milk. . . unless I have a
dirty glass like the little
boy on T.V.. I care for cows,
but I am allergic to gila
monsters.

Written by: D.J.M.

ANNUAL STAFF NEWS

The Traces annual staff is off
to an exciting start! Staff
members are: Megan Griffin,
editor, Stevie Rush, Jon
Fancher, Dewey Norvell, and
Bret Prather; sponsor is Peggy
Broccoli. If you'd like your
parents or hometown to
purchase an ad in your name,
see one of the staff members.
Also, coming soon is the
chance for you to buy an ad at
a reduced price! You can show
your friend just how much they
mean to you by purchasing a
life-long ad! Support your
school. GO PANTHERS!

STOP AND THINK

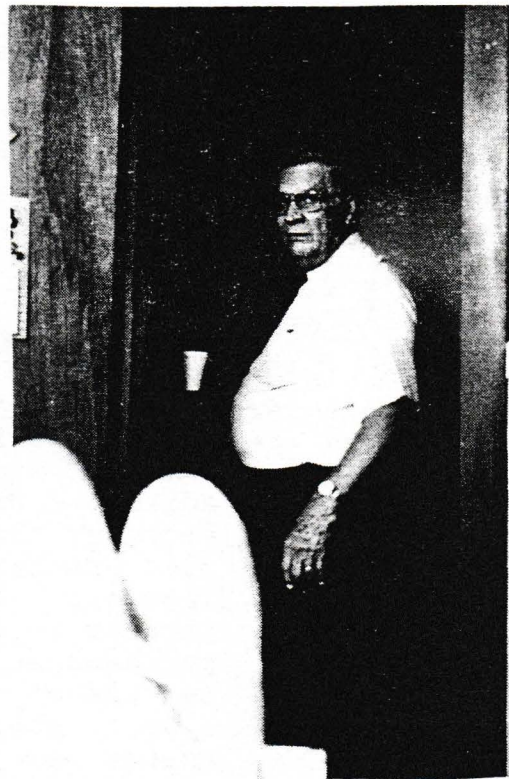
You don't have to be a Bible literalist to agree that Billy Graham's "Five Guides to Right Action" contains the seeds of a personal moral code to which we might all subscribe.

"Concerning any event that I go to, or anything that I do," says Graham, "I usually ask myself five questions." Here they are:

- 1) "Does it violate any principle of Scripture?"
- 2) "Does it take the keen edge off my Christian life?"
- 3) "Can I ask God's blessing on it?"
- 4) "Will it be a stumbling block to others?"
- 5) "Would I like to be there - or reading that - or be doing that - if Jesus Christ should come at that moment? In other words, would I like to be caught there?"

LOOK WHAT THE STORK BROUGHT

Congratulations to Dr. and Mrs. John Dent on the birth of their baby girl, Amy Leigh. Amy was born at 8:15 a.m., September 27th at Mississippi Baptist Medical Center in Jackson. She weighed 7 lbs. and 1 oz. and was 19 3/4 inches long. Mrs. Dent and Amy are both at home and doing great!!!



WHAT ARE YOU LOOKING AT???

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of Clarke College

MARCH 20, 1989

Bulletin Board

Monday, March 20, baseball at Mary Holmes
1:00 P.M. DH

Tuesday, March 21, baseball SWCC - 1:00
DH

IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT FROM THE DEAN'S
OFFICE: Doc Myers' classes will not meet
this week. She was called to New Mexico
because of the grave illness of a member
of her family.

Wednesday, March 22, Intramural softball
(Men and Women) 1:30. For details, see
Coach Renfrow.

Friday, March 24, Baseball at Ittawamba
Community College 1:00 P.M. (DH)

Saturday, March 25, Baseball at Holmes CC
1:00 P.M. (DH)

Monday, March 27, classes will be dismissed
and offices closed for an Easter holiday .
HAPPY EASTER!

MA News

Members of the Ministerial Association
wish to announce M.A. revival to be held
in the Fine Arts Building beginning tonight,
March 20, at 7:00 P.M. Services will also
be held on Tuesday and Thursday, March 21
and 23. Speakers for these services will
be: Monday, Tom Fox; Tuesday, Barry
Boquet and Thursday, Tim Fanguy. Everyone
is asked to make a special effort to sup-
port these services by being present.

BSU News

Members of the BSU wish to announce a
special sunrise service to be held on Friday
morning, March 24, at 7:00 A.M. We will
meet at the baseball field. This will be
a most inspiring time as we approach Easter.
Everyone is asked to make a special effort
to attend.

Sharing

As I turn a quarter of a century old, I
look back on my life and see the good and
bad of the years gone by.

I see a hated and unwanted child filled
with anger and longing to be loved
Unknowingly, GOD WAS WITH ME.

I see a teenager searching for acceptance
from her family and peers, finding none
Unknowingly, GOD WAS WITH ME.

I see a young lady approaching adulthood
before her time because she was lonely and
unloved, ruining her life. Unknowingly,
GOD WAS WITH ME.

I see an older, still unwise young lady
trying to take her life, tired of the
pain and rejection. Unknowingly; GOD WAS
WITH ME.

But now the past has changed. I see a
young woman filled with hope, love and
peace, accepted, loved and forgiven.
Knowingly, GOD IS WITH ME.

I see a future filled with promise,
laughter and grace. I see God's family,
my friends, whom I love with His love,
knowing GOD IS WITH ME.

I see God's direction and my willingness
to say, "Lead me, Lord; I'll follow, knowing
GOD IS WITH ME." I fear not for what tom-
orrow holds for I know who holds tomorrow.
I believe God saved me from myself. I be-
lieve he can do and has done the same for
many of you. Romans 3:23; Romans 5:8; Pro. 3.

You've made this, my 25th, **SUC**
my best birthday ever!

Platunia, Zuzzie

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What's Happening

Monday night, 8:00 P.M., BSU Film
Fine Arts Building Auditorium.
For details, see Terry Phillips.

Tuesday, March 7, Phonathon, 6:00 P.M.
Baseball game, home, Lewis and Clark
1:00 P.M.

Wednesday, March 8, Intramural softball,
M & W 1:30 P.M.

Thursday, March 9, Phonathon, 6:00 P.M.
Baseball game, HOME, Jones Jr. College,
1:00 P.M.

Friday, March 10, ABSOLUTE LAST DAY TO
DROP A COURSE, PROCESS MUST BE COMPLETED
BY THIS DATE.

Saturday, March 11, Baseball, home, Mary
Holmes, 1:00 P.M. (DH)

March 12 - 19 SPRING HOLIDAYS!!!!

FAREWELL:

Dear Clarke Students and Faculty,

For three years I have had the privilege of
either working with or teaching many of you.
I have enjoyed getting to know you and have
developed genuine respect for every associated
with Clarke College.

With a new opportunity to become interim direc-
tor of the MS Oral History Program at USM
however, I will begin a new job as of June 1,
and will not be returning to teach at Clarke
next year. I wish both staff and students God's
best in coming years and trust that I will see
you periodically in the future.

Come See me if you happen to be in Hattiesburg!

Sincerely,

Mr. Reid Derr

Quiet Moments

Through G.C., we shall do valiantly....
Psalm 60:12.

I cannot choose; I should have liked so
much
To sit at Jesus' feet--to feel the touch
of His kind, gentle hand upon my head
While drinking in the gracious words He
said.

And yet to serve Him! A divine employ--

To minister and give the Master joy;
To bathe in coolest springs His weary
feet!

And wait upon Him while He sat at meat!
Worship or service--which? Ah, that is
best

To which He calls us, be it toil or rest;
To labor for Him in life's busy stir,
or Seek His feet, a silent worshiper.

by--Caroline Atwater Mason.

Faith is the one great moving force
which we can neither weigh in the balance
nor test in the crucible.--

Sir William Osler

NOTICE: First Baptist Church of Soso, MS
needs summer youth worker who lives within
traveling distance.

Lakeview Baptist Church

REV. MALCOLM PINION
PASTOR
MEMBER SINCE 1967

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February 22, 1989

MR. WILLIAM L. LAMAR
MANAGER, LEE COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI
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Rev. J.B. Costilow
508 Scanlan Street
Newton, MS 39345

Dear Rev. Costilow,

We are currently searching for a Summer Youth Worker. Please ad-
vertise our desires among your BSU students. If any are interest-
ed in the job they may call our office or send a resume to us
through the mail. We will consider male or female students. The
compensation will be approximately \$100.00 per week plus room and
board.

Thank you very much for your help in this matter. God bless you and
the work you are doing.

Sincerely,

Malcolm Pinion

Malcolm Pinion

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FEBRUARY 18, 1989



In the Spotlight

This week we direct the glow of our student spotlight toward Miss Connie Marshall of Grenada, MS.

Connie is the 18 year old daughter of James and Jimmie Marshall. She is a graduate of Grenada High School where she received the academic award in business. This award was a \$100.00 savings bond.

Connie stated that a youth leader in her home church encouraged her to attend Clarke College. She remarked, "I loved Clarke the moment I arrived on the campus. I knew this was the college God wanted me to attend. I love the family atmosphere and the dedication of the faculty and staff to God's work."

Connie is an asset to Clarke in several ways. She is active in Baptist Student Union and is employed as a student assistant in the office of Admissions and Financial Aid.

WE ARE HAPPY THAT YOU CHOSE CLARKE,
CONNIE!!



INSPIRATION SPIRITUAL EMPHASIS WEEK

when: Feb. 21-23, 11:00 a.m.

where: Fine Arts Bldg. Aud.

who: Rev. Tommy Anderson
Emmanuel ^{of} Baptist Church
Pearl, MS

Short Schedule: Tues + Thurs. Normal Schedule: Wed.

SCHEDULE AS FOLLOWS:

1st period - 8:00 - 8:50

2nd period - 9:00 - 9:50

3rd period - 10:00 - 10:50

CHAPEL: 11:00 - 11:50

AFTER LUNCH EACH DAY, THE REGULAR TUE. THUR.
SCHEDULE WILL RESUME.

BSU News

NOTICE FROM MRS. GIBBON

The following students have not paid for a mailbox key. They will not receive their mail until this is done and a mailbox is obtained.

Mike McNeer
Jeff Rainey

PTK Happenings

There will be a very important meeting of Phi Theta Kappa on Tuesday, February 21, at 12:15 P.M. in the Library. This includes new people who will be inducted soon. EVERYONE MUST BE PRESENT. This meeting will be a planning session for initiation.

Those who will be initiated are asked to bring their money to the meeting.

SEE YOU THERE!!

Leslie

MA News

Our campus revival dates are fast approaching. These are outstanding times on our campus when we gather for spiritual renewal. They are worthy of our efforts and presence.

March: 20, 21, & 23

April: 17, 18 & 20

Guest speaker for our regular meeting on March 14, will be Rev. Bill Sellers. We urge everyone to make a special effort to be present.

Bulletin Board

Saturday, Feb. 18, Home basketball game vs. Patrick Henry - Men & Women.

February 20, 8:00 P.M. SINGSPIRATION in Fine Arts Building Auditorium.

Feb. 21, Spiritual Emphasis Week begins. Services 11:00 A.M. FAB

21, Home Basketball game vs. Mary Holmes - Men and Women

21, Phonathon - Admissions Office, beginning at 6:00 P.M.

Feb. 22, Spiritual Emphasis week continues. 11:00 A.M.

Women's Volleyball 8:30 P.M. Feb. 22.

Feb. 23, Spiritual Emphasis Week final service

23, Phonathon - Admissions office begins 6:00 P.M.

23 Intramural 3x3 basketball - See Coach Renfrow.

Feb. 24, Home Baseball game ECCC 1:00 P.M. Doubleheader

TRACES

I would like to say a special, "Thank you" to all Traces staff members for their dedication and hard work on this year's annual. The final shipment was made on Dec. 17. I have received notice that this has arrived at its destination - the office of Walsworth Publishing Co. We should receive these yearbooks in early May if printing goes as scheduled. THANK YOU, STAFF FOR COMPLETING THIS BOOK ON TIME.

Peggy B.

CLARKE COLLEGE DAY IN LEAKE COUNTY 2/26/89

students in churches

3 students in the YOUTH RALLY at Trinity Baptist Church
7 speakers
4 singers
2 pianists
16 students involved.

Barry Boquet
Christ Adcock
Scott Mercer
Mike McIlwain
Chris Atkinson
Terry Phillips
Dewey Norvell
Paul Sizemore
Dewayne Rigdon
Mike Miller
Mary Nell Woolery
Allen Muse
Terry McNally
Curt Price
Misty Smith

Bro. Griffith wants a ministerial: Barry Boquet
and a music student: Terry Phillips
for 2/26/89
Lena Baptist Church
Rev. James Griffith
507 Smith St.
Carthage, MS 39051

o. Mangrum wants a speaker: Chris Adcock
for 2/26/89
Remus Baptist Church
Rev. Keith Mangrum
Route 1, Box 185-A
Kosciusko, MS 39090

Bro. Parrish wants a ministerial: Scott Mercer
and a music student: Dana Spohr
for 2/26/89
Rocky Point Baptist Church
Rev. Robert Parrish
Route 7, Box 249
Carthage, MS 39051

Bro. Adams wants a speaker: Paul Sizemore,
a singer: Dewey Norvell,
and a pianist: Misty Smith
if possible for Salem Baptist Church, 2/26/89

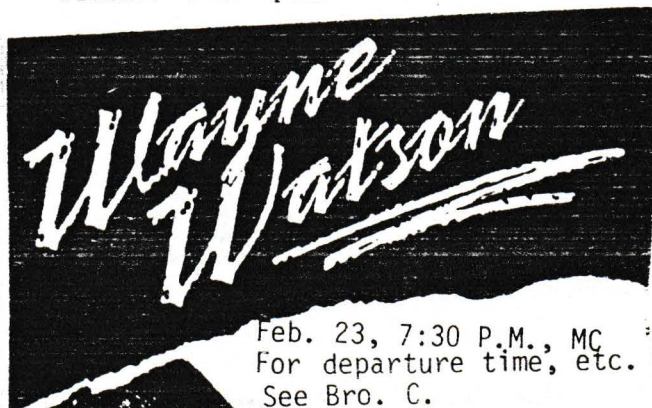
Salem Baptist Church
Rev. H. C. Adams
225 Hwy. 35 By-Pass
Kosciusko, MS 39090

Bro. Makemson wants a speaker: Curt Price
only for 2/26/89
Springfield Baptist Church
Rev. Randy Makemson
Route 1, Box 150-B
Carthage, MS 39051

Bro. David wants a team of three:
Speaker: Paul Woolery
Singer: Mike McIlwain
Pianist: Mary Nell Woolery
if possible for 2/26/89
Standing Pine Baptist Church
Rev. David Grumbach
Route 2, Box 228
Walnut Grove, MS 39189

Bro. Pilgrim wants a speaker: Mike Miller
2-26-89
Pearl Hill Baptist Church
Rev. Eddie Pilgrim
Route 5, Box 280-A
Carthage, MS 39051

YOUTH RALLY
TRINITY BAPTIST CHURCH
CARTHAGE, MS
2-26-89
3 P M
Speaker: Steve Avera
Singer: Sondra Davidson
Pianist: Dana Spohr



TO THE STUDENT BODY AND FACULTY:

I would like to take this opportunity to write a not of thanks to you for the love and support you have shown in this my first week and Clarke.

A special thanks to you for your notes in class, but especially to those involved with the food stuffs we received.

I have pastored 2 churches and attended one other school and I have not seen such an example of Christian love.

God told me to come here and this confirms His leadership.
MAY GOD BLESS YOU.

Yours in Christ,

Donald Shumate

CLARKE MEN FALL TO BOSSIER PARISH

The Clarke College men's team was defeated by the visiting Bossier City, Cavaliers Friday evening Feb. 10 at Cockrell Gymnasium.

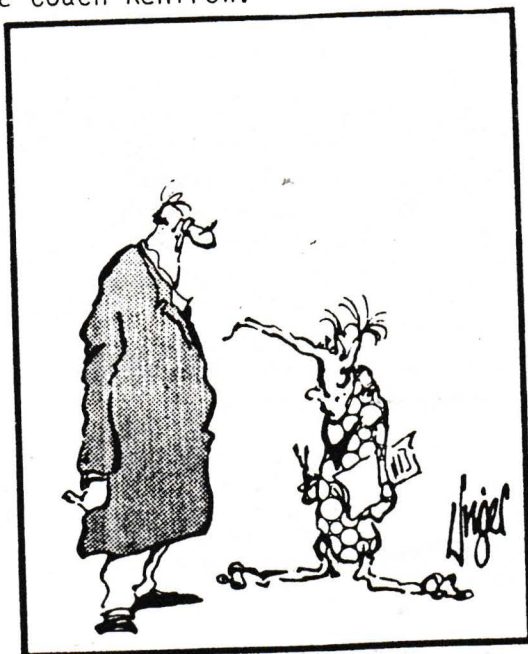
The Clarke College Panthers fell behind early in the first half as the Cavaliers came on strong. John Russell led the attack for the Cavaliers, making excellent shots including back to back three pointers. By the fourteen minute mark, the Panthers were behind 5-22. Bossier City continued to control the Panthers and by the halfway mark, the Cavaliers were up 29-52.

The momentum stayed with Bossier City in the second half as the Cavaliers went up 41-60 with fifteen minutes left to play. The Panthers, however, used nice defense to take 7 point while Bossier City stood still in the latter part of the game, but the clock was not with Clarke as Bossier Parish took it home 83-98.

Intramural Sports

Women's volleyball, Wed., Feb. 22, 8:30 P.M.

Intramural 3x3 basketball, Thursday, Feb. 23, for details, see Coach Renfrow.



"I'm here on a student exchange program."

Clarke College Baseball Schedule 1988-1989

FEBRUARY

17	At Hinds Community College	1:00
18	At Hinds Community College	2:00 (1)
24	East Central Community College	1:00 (2)
28	Holmes Community College	1:00 (2)

MARCH

2	At Jones Community College	1:00 (2)
7	Lewis and Clarke Comm. College	1:00 (2)
9	Jones Community College	1:00 (2)
11	*Mary Holmes Community College	1:00 (2)
12-16	SPRING BREAK	
17	Three Rivers Comm. College	TBA (2)
18	Florissant Valley at MS College	12:00 (2)
20	*At Mary Holmes Comm. College	1:00 (2)
21	At Southwest Community College	1:00 (2)
24	Ittawamba Community College	1:00 (2)
25	At Holmes Community college	1:00 (2)
28	At East Central Community College	3:00 (2)

APRIL

1	*At Mary Holmes Community College	1:00 (2)
4	Southwest Community College	3:00 (2)
6	*At Meridian Community College	5:00 (2)
10	*Meridian Community College	1:00 (2)
11	*Mary Holmes Community College	1:00 (2)
14	*Delgado Community College	1:00 (2)
15	*Delgado Community College	1:00 (2)
18	*Meridian Community College	1:00
21	At Ittawamba Community College	2:00 (2)
24	Hinds Community College	2:00 (1)
28	*At Delgado Community College	5:00 (2)
29	*At Delgado Community College	6:00 (2)

MAY

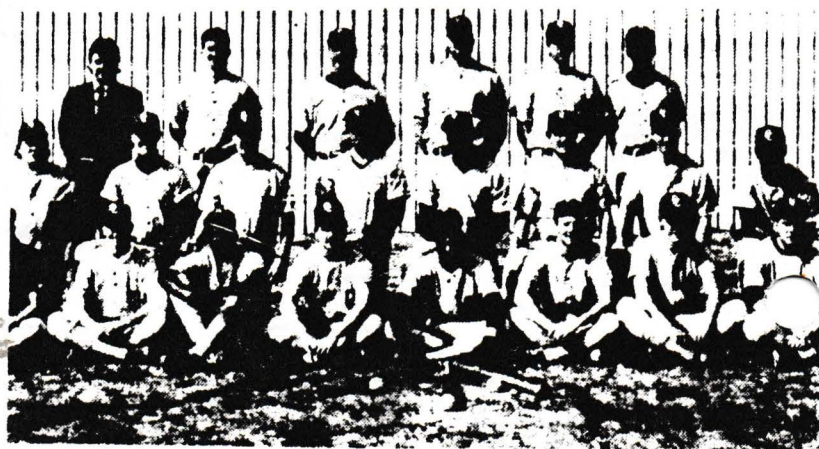
2	*At Meridian Community College	5:00 (2)
4	At East Central Community College	TBA (1)

*Denotes Conference Game

Head Baseball Coach: Steve Renfrow

School Mascot: Panther

School Colors: Maroon & Gray



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In the Spotlight



Watch out
Clarke, the
A-bears are
here!!!

Angie Hebert

Standing in the glow of this week's student spotlight are two deserving students who are double assets to our campus because they are brother and sister - Mitch and Angie Hebert.

M and A are from Chauvin, LA. Their parents are Patrick and Audrey Hebert and they are graduates of St. Terrebonne High School.

Each is majoring in Religious Education at Clarke and both are missions volunteers.

Angie stated that they were told about Clarke College and influenced to attend by their pastor, Rev. Wayne Elliott of Montague Baptist Church. Their stated opinions concerning Clarke College are that faculty here are "very well prepared and are good teachers." They feel that Clarke's atmosphere is Christian and friendly.

WE ARE HAPPY TO HAVE YOU IN OUR
"FAMILY", MITCH AND ANGIE!!!

GET AN EYEFUL OF THIS!



The Church Training Department of the Mississippi Baptist Convention Board will sponsor a Baptist Doctrines Preview Study Clinic on our campus on Wednesday, February 1, 1989, from 9:00 A. M. to 12:00 noon.

This is time of study for all pastors and church leaders who want to learn more about Baptist doctrine.

The meeting will be held in the auditorium of Lott Fine Arts Building. Lunch will be included.

Board Bulletin

Saturday, January 28 - Basket - ball game home. Natchez - Men

Monday, January 30, Intramural tennis tourney - 2:00 P.M.
Check with Coach Renfrow.

January 30, Monday, skating (BSU) Family Life Building
First Baptist Church.

January 31, Tuesday, Basketball game Pearl River CC - women

Wednesday, February 1, Baptist Doctrine Preview Clinic FAB
9:00 A. M. - 12:00 Noon.

Intramural Tennis Tourney Wed. February 1, 2:00 P.M.

Thursday, Feb. 2, SBA-faculty volleyball 8:00 P.M.

Intramural Tennis Tourney 2:00 P.M. Thur. Feb. 2.

Friday, Feb. 3 - last day to drop or add a class.

Home BB game - Delgado (Men)

Saturday, Feb. 4, - home BB game East MS CC - M & W.

PTK Happenings

Attention all Phi Theta Kappa members.

We will have our first meeting on February 2, at 12:15 P.M. in the Library. We will serve sandwiches, chips and drinks.

We will discuss our annual Phi Theta Kappa Convention trip. Please plan to be present!! This will be a very important meeting.

Also, those people who were sent invitations are asked to attend this meeting.

LOOK FORWARD TO SEEING YOU THERE!

Leslie

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SBA MEMBERS ARE PLANNING A VALENTINE DINNER:

When: Tuesday, February 14

Where: Cafeteria

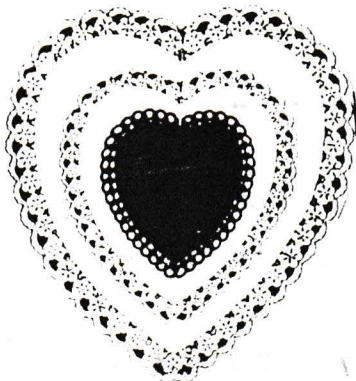
Time: 5:30 P.M.

Dinner will not be served at 5:00, only at 5:30.

Guest speaker and entertainer for this special event will be David Hassel.

Everyone is invited and encouraged to come and support this Student Body Association activity.

There will be a \$3.00 charge for non-resident students.



Wayne Watson

**LIVE
IN-CONCERT**



MISSISSIPPI COLLEGE
SWOR AUDITORIUM/NELSON HALL
FEBRUARY 23, 1989 - 7:30 p.m.
Tickets: \$6.00/Group of 10 or more \$5.00

TICKET OUTLETS: GROUP/MAIL ORDER:

THOSE INTERESTED IN ATTENDING SHOULD CONTACT BRO. C. OR SUE CHAFFIN ASAP.



"I gave at the office."

Quiet Moments

Be ye strong therefore, and let not your hands be weak: for your work shall be rewarded (II Chronicles 15:7).

I think when Jesus was a boy,
He watched His father as he stood
Within his shop at Nazareth,
Making the simple things of wood.

He saw His father's strong hands shape
The sturdy oxen yoke and plow,
And use his lathe while at his bench,
Watching the sweat fall from his brow.

They talked, and Joseph taught Him
well:

"In everything you do, my son,
Give of your best, and you will have
An inward joy from work well done."

Then Jesus, grown to young manhood,
Mastered the mallet and the saw,
"Go see His work," the people said:
"It is the best. There is no flaw."

The Carpenter,
by William Arnette Wofford.

... concerning the work of my hands
command ye me (Isaiah 45:11).

BOOKSTORE



NOTICE

BOOKSTORE SCHEDULE

	A.M.	P.M.
MONDAY		1:30 - 3:00
Tuesday	9:30 - 10:30	2 - 3
Wednesday		1:30 - 3
Thursday	9:30 - 10:30	2 - 3
Friday	11 - 11:30	CLOSED

BSU News

8:00 P.M. to 10:00 P.M. Jan. 30,
Skating at First Baptist Church
Family Life Building.

Tickets will be \$4.00 for the
Wayne Watson Concert. The bus
will go and furnish a ride for
all those who wish to attend.
Money for tickets should be turned
in by February 5. Give money to
Bro. C.

There will be sign-up sheets in
each dorm. Please notify Bro.
C. or Sue Chaffin in advance if
you plan to go or place your name
on one of these sheets.

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Clarke College Panthers Drop two to Co-Lin

The Clarke College Panthers dropped two games to visiting Copiah-Lincoln Community College Wolfpack Friday, January 20. On women's basketball action, the Co-Lin Wolfpack jumped out ahead early in the first period with the help of Sharon Walker, Tara Curtis and Angela Whitley. The Co-Lin Wolfpack scored 19 points as opposed to the Lady Panthers' 6 before Clarke

narrowed the margin 12-21 with the help of a few free throws by Melissa Dickerson, Betty Bobbit and Tracia Coleman. However, the wolfpack came back strong leaving the score at the half 14-36 Co-Lin.

In the second half more of the same. Co-Lin controlled on the floor and on the board. The score was 17-37 before the Lady Panthers managed to narrow the margin 24-41 with the help of a 3 pointer by Dorothy Washington. That is as close as it would get as Co-Lin sparted to a 44-70 win.

In men's basketball action at the Cockrell Gymnasium, the Co-Lin Wolfpack cruised past the Clarke College Panthers 65-89. Co-Lin started the scoring off 2-0 and scored another six points before Fred Cook lead the way for the Panthers. Clarke then narrowed the margin 8-12 by Co-Lin came back securing their lead by 10 points with 9:18 to go in the half. After Charles Henderson's 3 pointer, the Panthers stood still while Co-Lin increased the score 15-36 with 6:25 left in the half Clarke finally answered, but it was too late. The score at the half: Panthers 24 - Wolfpack - 48.

In the 2nd half, Clarke managed to narrow the margin somewhat after DeWayne Proctor's 3 pointer and heads up defense by the Panthers leaving the score at 40-58 Co-Lin.



Around the Circle

Created for the Faculty and Students of Clarke College

NOVEMBER 10, 1988

In the Spotlight

Our SPOTLIGHTED freshman this week is an all-round, helpful and friendly student named FARANDA ANDERSON from Lake, MS. She is a 1987 graduate of Lake High School where she received such honors as best defensive basketball player, most improved player and player with most rebounds to her record.

Faranda's parents are Tommy and Mary Anderson of Lake. She is a liberal arts major at Clarke. Her future plans are to attend MSU to pursue a degree in commercial education.

Faranda expressed her feelings about Clarke by saying, "I love it!" When asked why, she replied "because its a small school where everybody is so friendly. The faculty and students have a spcial closeness. Instructors are very helpful to their students."

Faranda is employed as a student assistant in the campus bookstore.

(I would like to apologize to Faranda and Arjeanetta for allowing some facts about each of them to become confused in last week's ATC.) The Editor

THANKS FOR CHOOSING CLARKE,
FARANDA !!



There are two important events which are rapidly approaching.-- MISSISSIPPI BAPTIST CONVENTION, FIRST CHURCH, JACKSON AND THANKSGIVING HOLIDAYS.

We are sure that everyone on the Clarke campus is well aware of the importance of the up-coming convention. Significant decisions will be made concerning our beloved Clarke College. ATC asks that all students, faculty and staff be in prayer before and during the three days of the convention. We who will be attending as messengers from our respective churches and/or from Clarke will carry with us a tremendous responsibility to maintain Christian attitudes, prayerful hearts and alert minds toward those issues which will be discussed and decided.

In recent days, I personally, have counted many times over the blessings added to my life because of my association for the past nearly 5 years with students and co-workers at Clarke College. You have all truly been "family" to me. My heart has been made glad when I have had the privilege of "mothering" (or "grandmothering") many students who are dear to me.

I have been strengthened in times of recent sorrow in my life because of support and love shown by co-workers. For these things, my Thanksgiving day will be filled with prayers of thanks.

My innermost feeling and conviction is that God has a purpose and plan for Clarke College. As I participate in the convention as a messenger, my prayer will be that this fact will be revealed to convention officers and leaders.

BE SURE TO ATTEND THE CONVENTION
AND WEAR PROUDLY YOUR BUTTON WHICH
READS "CLARKE COLLEGE 4EVER!!" 

tact & fun

Cards of Thanks

My family and I wish to express our heartfelt appreciation to all dorm men for the beautiful thanks-giving basket presented to us this past week. These items will be most enjoyable and useful to us during the Thanksgiving holiday.

We are grateful for your thoughtfulness.

Allen, Jymmie,
Sherrie, Kerri and Jeremy



"YOU MEAN WE SPENT \$2 MILLION GETTING ME ELECTED TO A JOB THAT ONLY PAYS A LOUSY \$70,000 A YEAR?!"



More chickens are raised in California than any other state.



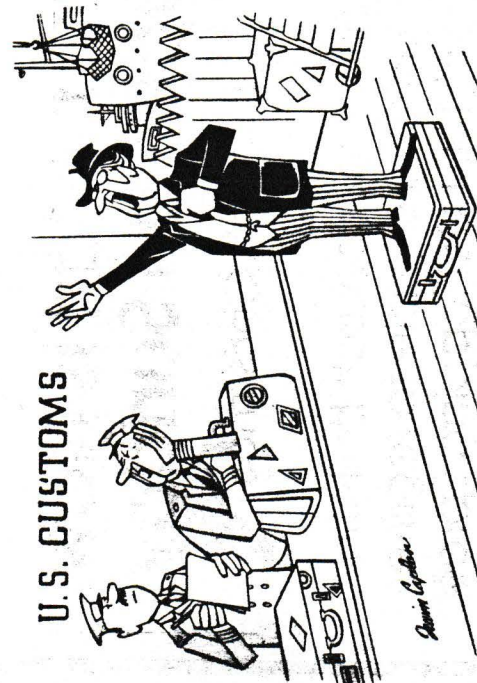
The first telegraph message transmitted by telegram was "What hath God wrought?" in 1844.



The majority of cats weigh between seven and twelve pounds.



"THINK OF IT THIS WAY - IF WE THROW A MILLION-DOLLAR-A-PLATE DINNER, WE ONLY HAVE TO SELL ONE TICKET!"



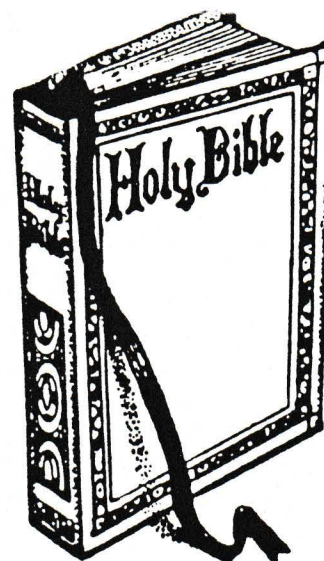
"THIS BEING AN ELECTION YEAR - WE SHOULD NEVER HAVE ASKED THE SENATOR IF HE HAD ANYTHING TO DECLARE."

Quiet Moments



IS THIS THE DIARY OF YOUR BIBLE?

- JAN. A busy time for me; most of the family decided to read me through this year. They kept me busy for the first few days but have forgotten me now.
- FEB. My owner used me for a few minutes last week. He had been in an argument and was looking for some references.
- MAR. Grandpa visited us. He kept me on his lap for an hour reading I Cor. 13.
- APR. I had one busy day! My owner was appointed leader of something and used me. I got to church services for the first time this year. . . Easter Sunday!
- MAY I have a few green stamps on my pages — also some Spring flowers.
- JUNE I look like a scrap book; they have me full of clippings from the newspaper. (One of the girls got married.)
- JULY They put me in a suitcase today. I guess we are off on vacation. I wish I could stay home as I will have to stay in this thing a month!
- AUG. Still in the suitcase. . .
- SEPT. Back home again in my old place..have a lot of company - 2 Time Magazines and 4 funny books are on top of me. I wish I could be read as much as they are.
- OCT. They used me a little today. One of them is very sick right now and I am shined up in the center of the table. I think the preacher is coming.
- NOV. Back in my old place.
- DEC. They are getting ready for Christmas so I'll be covered under wrapping paper and packages, etc.



The Benefits of Reading the Bible

How important is it to read the Bible? Here is the answer of some of America's

historically prominent men:

Andrew Jackson said, "That Book, sir, (the Bible) is the rock on which our republic rests." George Washington put it this way: "It is impossible to righteously govern the world without God and the Bible...." Charles Dickens stated, "The New Testament is the very best book that ever was or ever will be known in the world." Horace Greeley asserted, "It is impossible to mentally or socially enslave a Bible-reading people." Finally President Woodrow Wilson urged, "I ask every man and woman in this audience that from this day on we realize that part of the destiny of America lies in their daily perusal of this Book (the Bible).

Reading the Bible and following its instructions will enable you to find Christ as your all-sufficient Savior. Further, regular reading will minimize your anxieties, decrease appetite for lying, cheating, stealing, immorality, and all manner of sin. You will realize real peace, joy, and love in your life.

Begin today to practice II Timothy 2:15: "Study to show thyself approved unto God..." and make Psalm 119:18 "Open thou mine eyes, that I may behold wondrous things out of thy law," your prayer.

Michael E. Station
The Beam

BASKETBALL'S OPENING DAY

By: John Davis

A large crowd of students, faculty, family, alumni, and spectators filled our Cockrell Gymnasium to see our Lady Panthers kick off the 88-89 campaign against Holmes JC for our homecoming game. The Lady Panthers played a mistake ridden first half as bad passes and costly turnovers allowed Holmes to grab the lead going in at half with a 33-28 advantage. The second half brought many of the same things for the Lady Panthers. But they were still in the game at the end. The Lady Panthers were led by Michelle Lofton's 15 points. Stephanie Spivey chipped in 9 and Sonya Pickston and Tracy Coleman added 8 apiece in the losing cause.

The panthers came out with fire in their eyes early and Soph. forward Fred Cook was leading the way. The first half was an exchange of baskets up and down the court but the Panthers went in trailing at the half. As the Panthers came out for the second half fatigue seemed to set in as the time ticked away. The Panthers were led by Fred Cook's 22 points while James Walker had 21 and Berry Vinson chipped in 13 in a losing cause.

Good luck next time Panthers and Lady Panthers.



LADY PANTHER BASKETBALL

By: John Davis

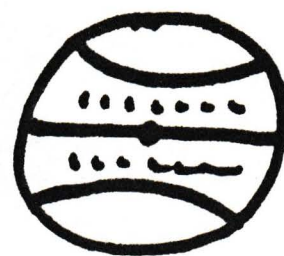
Monday night the Panthers and Lady Panthers hosted Southwest Mississippi JC and the return of former A.D. and basketball coach Josh Butler. Coach Butler is now the womens basketball coach at Southwest. The Lady Panthers went back and forth with Southwest pulling away on several occasions for a 33-28 lead at half. Lady Panthers pulled away on several other occasions and held on in the second half for the 70-64 victory. Soph. Bethany Harrell led the way with 26 points. Tuesday the Lady Panthers played at Jones JC. As Sonya "Punchy" Pinkston hit a shot with seconds remaining for the narrow win on the road. Improving their record to 2-1.

PANTHER BASKETBALL

By: John Davis

It's been a sad week for the Panthers. Monday the Panthers played host to Southwest. Southwest jumped on our Panthers early and didn't let up until a 107-59 score and no time left to play. Much the same happened when they traveled to Jones on Tuesday as the Panthers never put it together. James "Bird" Walker led the Panthers in scoring in both loses. The Panthers are now 0-3.

Hang in there guys; it can only get better as the season goes.



🍷 Around the Circle 🍷

Created for the Faculty and Students of Clarke College

October 28, 1988

In the Spotlight

Stephanie

This week's SPOTLIGHT is directed toward STEPHANIE SPIVEY from Forest, MS. Stephanie is a graduate of Forest High School. She is the daughter of Mrs. Shirley Spivey of Forest and is an accounting major at Clarke College.

Stephanie stated that she came to Clarke because of her Mother's influence. When asked how she feels about the school, she replied "The food is great! The campus is small and you get to know everybody. We are one big happy family." She feels that we have a faculty made up of men and women who are concerned about their students.

Stephanie is a valued member of the Clarke College Lady Panthers basketball team. Her future plans are to become a certified public accountant.

WE ARE DELIGHTED THAT YOU CHOSE CLARKE, STEPHANIE!!

PTK Happenings :

Members of PTK are selling corsages for homecoming. If you have a special person for whom you would like to buy a corsage, please contact a PTK member. The prices are:

Mums - \$4.50

Carnations - \$3.50

Red, white or blue

LOOK

A SPECIAL MESSAGE

HALLOWEEN FUN HOUSE

FROM THE DEAN.....

On Saturday night, October 29th and Monday night, October 31st the Clarke College Chapter on Phi Theta Kappa and the Varsity Cheerleaders are sponsoring a Halloween Fun House, which will be held in the Old Presidents Home on the east end of the Circle. It will contain an area where young children can "go fishing" for prizes and can "bob" for apples and an area for older children and adults to walk through and be frightened by some of their favorite movie arch-villians. All the Clarke Family and the general public are invited to attend this event. The proceeds are to be used to finance a scholarship to Clarke College from Phi Theta Kappa and to help purchase cheerleading uniforms for the Varsity Cheerleaders.

Though it will be well supervised, I would caution you that you not allow your young children to walk through the scary part of the Halloween Fun House. As mature adults, you know that the Hollywood arch-villians that will be portrayed in that area are not real and are simply creations of active imaginations, but young children with their lack of maturity and over-active imaginations find it difficult to separate the real from the imaginary.

For all of you, let me say enjoy your Halloween, but be sure your Halloween activities do not endanger the property and safety of someone else or their own fun on the evening preceding All Hallows (All Saint's Day).

Dean Read

Face
Painting

go fishing

fun

snacks

THE RAY OF HOPE : A MISSION TRIP TO JAMAICA

By: Patricia Romero

It was a torrid day in March around 1:00 O'clock. Far out in the hills of Jamaica a young black lady came walking toward me. Her clothes blew loosely from her body due to a gusty wind. The banana trees with long, green leaves appeared to be waving at her as she passed. The sweet savory smell of blooming flowers filled the air.

As the lady moved closer to me, I could see her solemn face. Her eyes were filled with anxiety. She watched as though I would disappear before she reached me. She wore an old, faded, worn out dress. Her shoes were so big that they made a clogging sound each time she took a step. Her eyes peered straight ahead; she never looked down to see where she was walking. Her black, stringy hair touched her shoulders.

As I looked on past her, I saw white puffs of clouds moving rapidly on a sea blue sky. I saw the touch of the Master's hand and His fingerprints that were left behind on his finished creation. The beautiful scenery was breath taking, yet the poverty-stricken lady that now stood before my eyes weighed heavily on my heart. She was thin, barely clothed and weary from her long walk. With a child in her arms and two at her side, she looked at me with searching eyes. Her eyes opened their widest when I told her that I came from the States to share with her Jesus Christ.

I told her how Christ had died on the cross. Because of his shed blood and the atonement he made for our sins, we have hope. Though the condition here on earth might be poverty, the promises of heaven will be walls of hasper and gates of pearl. We'll have a life that knows no pain or sorrow, only peace and happiness.

Through tears of anguish and despair, she asked, "What can I do to have that promise?" I explained to her about God's grace and how the price had already been paid 2,000 years ago. She bowed her head and repented of her sins. She acknowledged her need for a Savior and asked Jesus to be Lord of her life.

Her bright gleaming eyes, now full of hope, brought my thoughts to the man in the Bible who said, "I once was blind but now I see." Her peaceful smile brought excitement to my life. Lorial now has a ray of hope. Her life will have new meaning and will be filled with purpose and peace.

She laid her frail hand in mine. With a firm grip, she held tightly to my hand, not wanting to let go. The last thing I recall was the joyful smile on her face and the excitement in her voice as she shouted, "Thank you, miss, Thank you!"

MA News

Plans have been made for our up-coming campus revival. Dates and speakers are as follows:

Nov. 7 - Barry Walton
Nov. 8 - Kevin Meador
Nov. 10 - John Newbaker

The M. A. urges all students and faculty to support this revival with their attendance.



H A Y R I D E

BSU will be sponsoring a hayride Monday, October 31, beginning at 6:00 P.M. We will meet at the girls' dorm to board the trailer. Food will be served when we reach our destination. Where? (ONLY THE SHADOW, (HUBERT) KNOWS.) WE ARE EXCITED ABOUT THIS FUN TRIP AND INVITE EVERYONE TO JOIN US FOR A WONDERFUL TIME OF FOOD AND FELLOWSHIP!!

Bulletin Board

Friday, October 28, LAST DAY TO DROP A CLASS.

Missions Emphasis Week - Nov. 1, 2, and 3. Services each day at 11:00 A.M. Fine Arts Building. All students are urged to attend these services. Three guest speakers will be visiting our campus. (SEE BSU NEWS.)

Flag Football 3:30 P.M. Thursday, November 3. For details, see Coach Renfrow.

PEP RALLY - Friday, November 4, 7:00 P.M. GYM

HOMEcoming - Saturday, November 5, 1988. Basketball game M & W Clarke vs. Holmes Community College. ALL STUDENTS ARE URGED TO STAY ON CAMPUS FOR THIS SPECIAL DAY.

STUDENT WIVES WEINER ROAST will be held at Vicky Rigdon's home Saturday night beginning at 6:00 P.M. All students staying on campus for the weekend are invited.

Rosters for 5 on 5 basketball are to be turned in to Coach Renfrow by Mon. November 7.

Homecoming queen elections will be held Wednesday, November 2. Thursday, Nov. 3, There will be a pep rally in the gym. At 9:15 P.M. on that day (Nov. 3,) the DNR Band, a contemporary gospel band, will perform in the auditorium. Everyone is asked to make a special effort to attend these special events.



BSU News

MISSIONS EMPHASIS WEEK

We will be observing Missions Emphasis Week on our campus on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, November 1, 2 and 3, 1988.

Services will be held daily at 11:00 A.M. in the Fine Arts Building auditorium. Guest speakers for these services will be:

Tuesday - Vic Johnston
Wednesday - Mrs. Vic (Sharon) Johnston
Thursday - Don Dent

Vic and Sharon are Missionaries to Brazil. Vic's assignment is youth worker and conference encampment director in Teresina, Brazil. His wife, Sharon, serves with him as church and home worker. They were appointed in August, 1983.

Don Dent is a missionary to Singapore. He was appointed in May, 1983, as a church planter.

Please support this special week by putting these dates on your calendars and attending every service.

Bro. C

CLARKE COLLEGE
FALL BASEBALL STATISTICS
FINAL
10-24-88

HITTING

NAME	AB	H	R	RBI	2B	3B	HR	TB	BB	K	SB	Avg.
Doug Barber	26	9	9	4	2	0	0	16	11	4	7	*.346
Nicholas Buchanan	42*	14*	8	9*	1	1	0	17*	2	4	8	.333
Michael Cole	32	10	11*	8	2	0	0	14	9	3	11*	.313
Joey Case	30	10	1	9*	3*	0	0	13	12*	4	0	.333
Scotty Trawick	27	5	0	3	0	0	0	5	3	6*	1	.185
Richard Willis	18	3	8	2	1	0	0	3	8	6*	3	.167
Kevin Bailey	13	0	4	1	0	0	0	0	4	5	0	.000
Keith Hawsey	32	3	1	4	1	0	0	3	5	4	1	.094
Willie Short	28	7	8	2	0	1	0	9	7	7	3	.250
Brian Brister	31	10	5	4	2	0	0	14	8	6*	4	.323
Griag Thompson	13	2	0	1	0	0	0	2	2	3	0	.154
Jody Reno	15	2	3	0	0	0	0	2	1	3	0	.133
Hal Sherman	15	2	3	1	1	0	0	2	2	3	1	.133
Randal Hutton	20	3	9	1	1	0	0	3	2	3	7	.150
Terry Phillips	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Barry Vinson	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	.000
Pat Bratten	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	1.000
TOTALS	346	81	71	51	14	2	0	104	77	62	47	.234

PITCHING

NAME	IP	H	R	ER	BB	K's	ERA
Charles Tilden	25 2/3*	9	8	5	18	27*	1.75*
Nicholas Buchanan	15	11	6	4	7	17	2.40
Pat Bratten	9	11	6	4	4	5	4.00
Cliff Webb	7 1/3	7	7	4	2	6	4.91
Scott Wiechers	9	10	9	6	8	9	6.00
LeJuan Brown	8 2/3	13	15	10	11	5	10.39
Griag Thompson	7 1/3	10	7	5	5	2	6.13
Terry Phillips	1 1/3	1	0	0	0	0	0.00
Dance Speed	3 2/3	5	4	4	4	0	9.83
Randal Hutton	1 1/3	3	2	1	0	0	6.77
Totals	88 1/3	80	70	43	59	71	4.38

*Denotes Team Leader

** In order for us to be championship contenders, we must do a better job of "battling" to get on base. Walk to strikeout ratio should be at least 2 to 1. If you carefully look at stat sheet, you'll see the guys with the highest batting average have the better ratio, (with the exception of Nick, who will do a better job in the spring.)

Go Panthers 

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In the Spotlight

This week the spotlight is shining on Dana Spohr from Huntsville, AL. Dana is the daughter of Bob and Doris Spohr of Huntsville. She is a graduate of Bob Jones High School where she served as Sophomore class Treasurer and was elected most courteous her senior year.

Dana stated that she chose Clarke because she was looking for a small school, and because it was recommended to her by her youth pastor. "I feel, though, she stated, that the Lord placed me here for a special purpose."

When asked how she feels about Clarke now that she is here, she replied, "I love it!" "I like the individual attention given students by the faculty, and everyone is so friendly." The teachers are very thorough in their planning and preparation as well as their presentation of course work."

Dana is a member of BSU and Clarke College Singers.

Could one of her favorite persons at Clarke be a handsome young student with the initials S.M.???

WELCOME TO CLARKE, DANA!

DANA

WHY DO I LIKE CLARKE COLLEGE?

By: James Malehorn

Clarke College is a special place. Its smallness in size means a more personalized relationship with faculty and fellow students. Clarke is special because of friendship. Friends made here will last a lifetime. This is why I like Clarke College.

I chose Clarke because I felt it would offer me greater opportunities - opportunities to serve God in any way that I can. It gives me a chance to meet new people and to grow spiritually in ways that larger colleges cannot provide. Clarke allows me to be on a one-to-one relationship with my instructors. This allows me to get more out of the courses I take.

Clarke College helps me to see myself as others see me. I learn from my mistakes. This will help me become a better person when I leave. God made us to be teachable and it's through our mistakes that we can learn to be the kind of Christians God wants us to be.

When I leave this campus, I will take with me the memories of friends that I made and memories of the lessons of life that I have learned. I will cherish these memories as long as I live.

Let's help keep our college open by showing others the love and friendship that comes from being a part of a family. Let's support our college through its many activities. Let's be a "doer of the Word and not hearers only."

KEEP THE DOORS OPEN. KEEP THE TORCH LIT. SUPPORT OUR SCHOOL.

Bulletin Board

Men's dorm party Monday night
For details, check with Allen
or Jymmie Martin.

SPECIAL NOTICE TO BEAUTY AND
BEAU PAGEANT ENTRANTS: I need
your names as soon as possible
so that we can meet to make
preliminary plans. Please come
by my office this week and let
me know if you plan to enter.
Thanks. Peggy Brock

Education workshop Science Building
Thursday, October 27, Newton Public
School faculty. Students are asked
to be cordial and helpful to these
campus visitors.

October 28 LAST DAY TO DROP A COURSE

October 27th flag football 4:00 and
5:30 P.M For details, check with
Coach Renfrow.



Dear Friends:

Thank you so much for your prayers,
flowers, kind words and calls during
this time of the loss of our loved one.
They mean so much to us.

Love,

Allen and Jymmie

PTK Happenings

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sages for homecoming. If you have a
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tact a PTK member. The prices are:

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Also, PTK and the cheerleaders will
host a spook house on October 29 and
October 31, 1988. Admission 75¢ for
adults; 50¢ for children under 12.

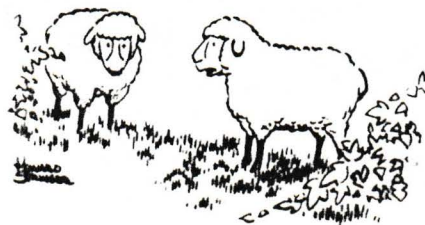
PTK members will be selling candy
in the near future. Be sure to save
your money!

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"ALL WE LIKE PEOPLE, HAVE GONE ASTRAY"

Quiet Moments

COLLEGE PRESIDENT SAYS STUDENTS SELF-CENTERED

Nashville, Tenn--College students are becoming increasingly more self-centered and their concerns about life reflect attitudes which border on selfishness and greed; a Southern Baptist college president warned.

"The single most important truth about college students today is their overriding concern that education is a means to a better job and not an end in itself." Cordell Maddox, President of Carson-Newman College, told campus ministers attending a Southern Baptist Education Commission workshop in Nashville.

"Sadly, this renewed interest in careerism has resulted in a decline in intellectualism," he said. "Consequently, more and more students are avoiding the liberal arts and seem unimpressed with the age-old argument about the importance of a liberal education for both career and personal well-being."

Maddox said college students seem obsessively driven by concerns about money, social status and personal comfort. "Also, they are troubled about the future and worry about such things as obtaining a good job, the capacity to earn a living, reaching standards of living equivalent to their parents' and being able to afford a family."

Recent surveys, he said show other top concerns of students include the long term value of their college degree, the accessibility and interest of the faculty and the impact of drugs and alcohol on students.

Maddox said that Baptist colleges are in a unique position to meet the needs of a changing student population.

"We have the mission, the caring, the Christian faculty, the ideal size, the missions programs, and the liberal arts background with its basis in humanities and arts and sciences," he contended. "We are in a strategic position."

BSU News

I would like to say "Thank you" to all those who participated at the 50's party. Winners for the best dressed contest were:

Male - Barry Boquet
Female - Connie Marshall

Sue Chaffin



People believe if you hold the hair of a horse in your hand, nothing can harm you.

FALL BASEBALL ENDS

Clarke College completed the fall baseball season with a winning record of 9 wins against 6 losses. Overall the fall baseball season was a "success", but we still have a long way to go to be a good baseball team. Our defense has to come through for us to be contenders in the rugged conference of which we are members. The two areas that concerned me most during fall season were our defense and our overall hitting. We can not rely on 3 or 4 hitters to carry us through. We've got to have somebody who wants to be in the "game winning" situation - be the athlete who wants to be in that box 2 on, 2 out, bottom of the 7th inning situation - be the athlete who wants to be on the hill in that "game saving" situation - be the athlete who has that "confidence" to do the job wjem called upon.

We are looking forward to an exciting and prosperous season. Remember, we cannot be winners alone; we need the support of the faculty, staff, and of course, the students.

Keep up the continued support!
Thank you.

Coach Renfrow



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AMY WRITING AWARDS

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An invitation for writers to communicate biblical truth to a secular audience

The Amy Foundation Writing Awards program is designed to recognize creative, skillful writing that presents in a sensitive, thought-provoking manner the Biblical position on issues affecting the world today.

To be eligible, submitted articles must be published in a secular, non-religious publication.

The opportunity is yours to present Biblical truth as quoted from an accepted and popular edition of the Bible such as The New International Version, The Living Bible,

The King James, or the Revised Standard Version.

In addition to the \$10,000 first prize, there are fourteen major cash awards. They include a \$5,000 2nd prize, a \$4,000 third prize, a \$3,000 4th prize, a \$2,000 5th prize and 10 prizes of \$1,000 each. A total of \$34,000 in Writing Awards.

Articles and/or inquiries may be submitted to: The Amy Foundation

Writing Awards

P.O. Box 16091

Lansing, MI 48901

\$10,000 First Prize

2nd Prize, \$5,000 3rd Prize, \$4,000 4th Prize, \$3,000 5th Prize, \$2,000
plus ten prizes of \$1,000 each.

RULES

ELIGIBILITY

1. To be eligible, the article must have been published in a secular non-religious publication, as determined by the Awards panel.
2. The article must have been published during the year defined by the dates given as the Amy Foundation writing awards year: January 1, 1988 through December 31, 1988.

CONTENT

1. God's word must be quoted directly from the Bible.
2. Such quotations must be acknowledged as coming from the Bible.
3. Biblical quotations must be taken from an accepted and popular edition of the Bible, such as the New International Version, The Living Bible, The King James, or the Revised Standard Version.
4. The article must present God's position on an issue as relevant, timely and deserving of thoughtful consideration.
5. Examples of issues for consideration, but not limited to these, are family life, divorce, value trends, media and entertainment character, pornography, political morality, U.S. National Interests, abortion,

religion and addiction to drugs and alcohol. The Biblical impact on individual character and outlook are also appropriate issues.

JUDGING

1. Qualified articles will be judged on the following basis of primary and secondary considerations:
 - a. Primary Considerations
 - (1) Persuasive power of the article
 - (2) Author's skill in relating God's word to current interest issues.
 - b. Secondary Considerations
 - (1) Circulation size of media in which article was published.
2. Decisions by the Judges and Awards Panel will be final.

SUBMISSION

1. The entry must be in the form of an actual full page(s) or tear sheet(s) that accurately identify the publication name and date.
2. There is no limit to the number of qualified entries that may be submitted by a single author.
3. All entries must be postmarked on or before January 31, 1989. Winning articles will be announced on May 1, 1989.

THE AMY FOUNDATION, A NON-PROFIT CORPORATION PROMOTING BIBLE EDUCATION

"If You Continue In My Word... You Will Know The Truth And The Truth Will Make You Free" John 8:31,32

DID YOU KNOW ?

Here are some facts about safe diving that may help you prevent a diving accident:



Always check for submerged obstacles before you dive.

- Safe diving means checking water depth first, and steering up during your dive.

- An estimated 500 people may seriously injure themselves in diving accidents this year, as a result of diving into shallow areas of lakes, ponds, streams, swimming pools and other bodies of water, report experts at the National Spa and Pool Institute (NSPI).

- In up to half of all accidents, the diver has had "a couple of drinks," usually beer. A recent study found that even half a drink can noticeably impair a diver's judgment and control.

- Always check that there are no submerged obstacles in your dive path. If you're not certain what the conditions are, don't dive.

- As part of its "Operation Water Watch" NSPI is offering a free brochure on diving safety. It's called, "Knowing How To Dive" and it's available by writing to: NSPI, Dept. O.W.W., 2111 Eisenhower Avenue, Alexandria, Virginia 22314.



The longer glass stays under water, the stronger it gets.



People believe if you rub your feet with garlic, you will be healthy.



A professional perfume tester is known in the trade as a "nose."



The youngest general the United States Army ever had was George Custer, who achieved that rank at 23.

~ Around the Circle ~

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In the Spotlight

Basking in the glow of this week's SPOTLIGHT is Dana Archie from Meridian, MS. She is the daughter of David & Sherry Archie and is a graduate of Clarkdale High School where she served as Student Council Representative and Pianist for the Clarkdale Christian Student Union.

Dana stated that her parents encouraged her to attend Clarke College because they were aware of the Christian atmosphere and were impressed with the individual attention given to students by the instructors.

When asked how she felt about CC, she stated "I love it!" Of course this writer's next question was "Why?" In reply Dana said, "Because everyone is so friendly. I love the family atmosphere."

Her future plans are to pursue a degree in business and become a legal secretary.
WELCOME TO CLARKE, DANA!!!

LOOK

SPECIAL NOTICE FROM THE ADMISSIONS OFFICE:

In the future, stamps will be sold in our office. All students needing stamps at any time are asked to see Mrs. Gibbon.



TAKE A LOOK AT THIS

The school year has progressed very rapidly and we are moving toward an exciting event on our campus. This event, as one former student put it, "is one of the nicest functions we have all year." BEAUTY PAGEANT. The date is Dec. 2.

We have concluded from experience that an 'open pageant' is the best approach to receiving contestants. We are asking that all girls interested in entering please give their names to Peggy Brock as soon as possible. Escorts or 'beaus' are selected by each contestant. A most handsome beau will be selected from these men. We invite and encourage all girls who wish to to be a part of this event to be sure to enter.

This does not have to be an expensive venture. Only two outfits will be needed formal gown and a sportswear outfit. These may be items of clothing that you already have. New things are not absolutely necessary. Men will have the opportunity to rent tuxedos, if they wish, at a reasonable price. However, a suit may be worn if desired.

This contest will not include a talent competition. We may have a physical fitness routine if we are able to get this worked out. It is not our objective to meet criteria for Miss Mississippi preliminaries, but to select a Most Beautiful lady and a Most Handsome gentlemen for the yearbook. We need this information so that we can begin to make plans. COME BY AND LEAVE YOUR NAME ASAP!!!

Bulletin Board

BSU NIGHT Monday, Oct. 10,
7:00 P.M. First Baptist Church,
Family Life Building. COME JOIN
THE FUN!!!

M. A. Meeting will be held Tue.,
October 11 at 4:00 P.M., Science
Building. All students receiving
Ministerial Aid MUST attend
this meeting. Also, Pictures
will be made at the beginning of
this meeting. Please come dressed
appropriately for these pictures
which will be published in the
yearbook. Thank you.

Homecoming Court elections will
be held on Wednesday, Oct. 12, at
12:00 noon in the cafeteria. Every-
one is reminded to be sure to vote!

Flag football Thursday, Oct. 13,
4:00 and 5:30 P.M. For details,
see Coach Renfrow.

Ping Pong tournament, Thursday, Oct.
13, 9:00 P.M., boys' dorm.

**Q: What issues concern you most
during this presidential election
year?**

S B A

In chapel last Wednesday, nomi-
nations were made for homecoming court.
Elections for these court members
will be held Wednesday, Oct. 12 at
12:00 noon in the cafeteria.

Freshmen maids will be the two
nominees with the most votes.

Sophomore maids and queen candi-
date will be the three nominees with
the most votes. One maid will be
selected from M.C. at Clarke students.
EVERYONE IS URGED TO VOTE FOR HIS/HER
CLASS MAID.

PTK Happenings

Phi Theta Kappa will once again
sell corsages for homecoming. This
year we are offering a variety of
corsages.

White mums with a maroon ribbon
and a dangling basketball or a cor-
sage containing red, white, or
blue carnations. The blue carna-
tions will have the maroon ribbon
with the basketball. The red car-
nations will have a different color
ribbon. You may place your order
with any of the following members:
James "Bones" Hendrick, Sue Chaffin,
Jeannette Guidry, Traci Hickman,
Bethney Harrell, Angela Thrash,
Regina Richardson, Dale Ellis and
Doyle Allen. Costs will be as
follows:

Mums - \$4.50

Carnations - \$3.50

Sales begin now and end October
27, 1988.

Thanks for making Fall Festival
a success!!

Mr. Kevin White received the jar
of candy by guessing 99, when actu-
ally, there were 94 pieces of candy.

COMING UP THIS MONTH - PTK will
have a spook house. We will be
announcing when, where, and how
much in the near future

yer momma didn't tell ya..

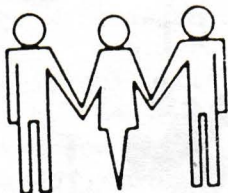


YOUR NEW SCHOOL WARDROBE AND THE DORM FOOD
WOULDN'T GET ALONG AFTER ONE MONTH.

MA News

M. A. Will hold its regular meeting on Tuesday, Oct. 11, at 4:00 P.M. All students receiving Ministerial Aid MUST attend this meeting.

Guests from the Baptist Building will be speaking in the next two sessions of Randy Cuchens' class Ministering to Youth. Subjects will be R. A. work and Acteens. These promise to be very informative sessions. Everyone who is interested in these types of youth work is invited to attend these classes. We will meet in the Library at 6:00 P.M. on Tuesday night. If necessary, we will move to another location.



BSU News

BSU fun time in the cafeteria at 7:00 P.M. See Bro. C for details. Set your "brain" clock for fun and join the crowd!

M.A. will hold its regular meeting Tuesday, Oct. 11, at 4:00 P.M. All students receiving Ministerial Aid MUST attend this meeting. No exceptions, please!

These cool October mornings set the pace for Bible study and morning watch. You will be amazed how much better you will feel if you come!



Campus Quips

COLLEGE DEGREES ARE WORTH MORE to male students now than at any time since the 1960s, according to a new Census Bureau study. Male college graduates can expect to earn 39% more than men who quit school after high school.

TIMES HAVE CHANGED: In 1940, 38% of Americans at least twenty-nine years old had a high school diploma, and six percent had a college degree. Today, 86% have a high school diploma and 22% a college degree.

YUPPIES ARE A MEDIA INVENTION: According to *Business Week* magazine, only five percent of urban residents between the ages of twenty-five and thirty-nine make more than \$30,000. Nearly 50% have incomes below \$20,000.

Quiet Moments

The Bible speaks:

Blessed are they that do his commandments, that they may have right to the tree of life, and may enter in through the gates into the city (Revelation 22:14).

Youth, O Youth, can I reach you,
Can I speak and make you hear?
Can I open your eyes to see me?
Can my presence draw you near?

Is there a prophet among you,
One with a heart to know?
I will flash my secret on him,
He shall watch my glory grow.

For I, the God, the Father,
The Quest, the Final Goal,
Still search for a prophet among you,
To speak my word to his soul.

If There Be a Prophet Among You,
by Mary Edgar.

When the Master of the universe has
points to carry in His government, He
impresses His will in the structure of
minds.—Ralph Waldo Emerson.

... Here am I; send me (Isaiah 6:8).

Can you say what Isaiah said?
Will you say it?

Bro. C

OUT IN LEFT FIELD!

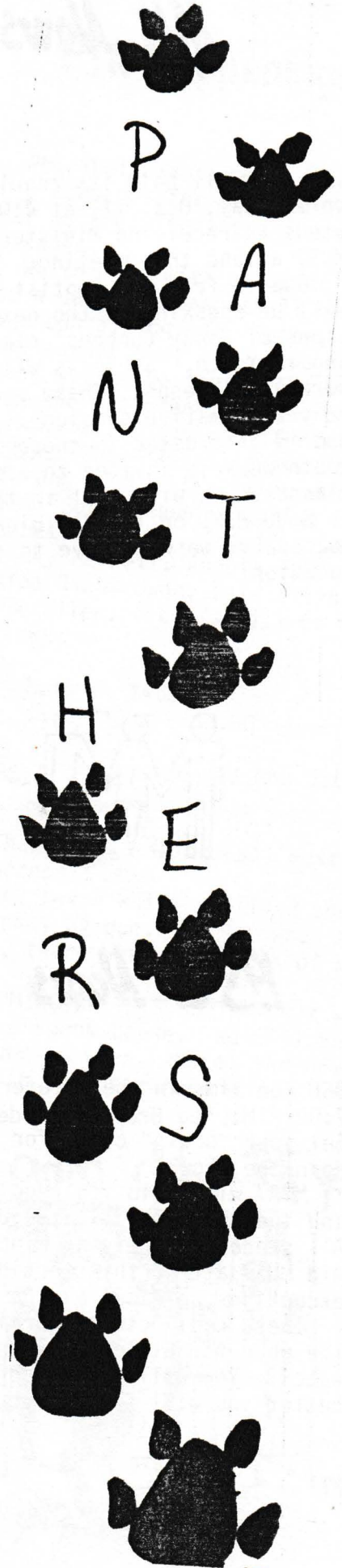
The Clarke College baseball team improved their record to 5 wins against one loss by sweeping East Central Community College Tuesday afternoon.

Clarke visits Jones Friday and travels to Clinton Saturday to play MS College. Here is the remainder of the Clarke Panther fall schedule:

Tue. Oct. 11	At Belhaven, Jackson	1:30
Thurs. Oct. 13	at Meridian CC	4:00
Mon. Oct. 17	at USM, tournament	
	10:00 A.M. ECCC	
	1:00 P.M. MS Delta	

Friday Oct. 21	at Meridian CC	3:00 (2)
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ATC'S FACULTY MEMBER OF THE YEAR

"What do I say?" That was the question asked by Mrs. Lynn Baker as she accepted the 1987 AROUND THE CIRCLE'S FACULTY MEMBER OF THE YEAR AWARD during the special chapel service this past Wednesday. The award is based on the faculty member (including administrative and staff personnel) who best supports the campus newspaper; who does outstanding work in their field, and for the entire institution & The faculty member who the students use most in their articles and pictures submitted to the ATC.

Tim Johnson, Editor of the ATC stated, "I thought it would be hard to find someone to fit these qualifications, but instead, it was the easiest task I've had while working with the ATC." Mrs. Baker received a standing ovation from those present after giving her thank you and goodbye speech. She and her family will be moving to Mississippi College where she will be Librarian.

Mrs. Baker hails from Mibile, AL where her parents still reside. She received her B.S. in Elementary Education from the University of South Alabama and her Masters of Education (Educational Media) also from USA. She continued her education even further by receiving from the University of Southern Mississippi a Masters in Library Science. Mrs. Baker taught in elementary schools for four years prior to going into library work.

Since 1979, Mrs. Baker has served in academic libraries. She held positions at Mobile College and the University of South Alabama before coming to Clarke. At Mobile College, she did what she does here at Clarke, but at USA she served as director of curriculum materials center. How does working at Clarke compare to working at another institution? "Work at the University was not as rewarding. I didn't have as close relationships with the students as I do at Clarke. I didn't like the 'bigness' of the university, although there were more people to do the work."

At Clarke, Mrs. Baker has grown to love each one of the people. She meant it when she said, "When you come to Clarke, it become a part of you. That part doesn't go away." It's deep rooted in your heart.

Mrs. Lynn Baker has been an inspiration to us all. Those good times will be remembered and the bad...well, knowing her, she'd consider them learning experiences. Pam Waldrop, a student worker for Mrs. Baker, had something extra special to say about her. "I have worked for Mrs. Baker for three semesters and I don't think of her as a boss, but as a friend. She really cares about the students and is one of the most caring faculty members on the campus. I know that I can go to her at any moment with a problem (except the week before SACS) and I have also known of other students she has helped with problems. It has been a pleasure working with her and I'm looking forward to seeing her at MC next year. "Good luck, Mrs. Baker."

The writer of this article is finding it hard to hold back the tears of sorrow. Mrs. Baker has definitely added much to the Clarke campus.

Your Clarke family wishes you only the best and remember, WE LOVE YOU, LYNN BAKER, AROUND THE CIRCLE'S FIRST FACULTY MEMBER OF THE YEAR!!

FAMOUS LAST WORDS

The end of another semester is upon us. This past year at Clarke has been enjoyable for some. For others, it has been a nightmare. Which ever it may be those moments are now only memories. Here are just a few remarks made by students about this year.

"Russ was absolutely right. Why didn't I listen? Super-glue would have benefited All! -Shea McReynolds

"The smallest deed is worth more than the greatest intention." Susan Williams

"No comment" - Mary Burt

"I'm tired of taking a community

pre" - Tim McCaffrey
"Enjoyable, but I'm glad it's over." Rhonda Oney

"There have been good and bad things on campus, but no one is perfect. We need to try to do things the Lord would have us to do and work as a group. We should take

the campus atmosphere and go along with it." Chris Adcock

"It caused me to miss Chris too much and too many heart aches in Algebra." Bunnie Magee

"I'm tired of cramping from the cafeteria food." Lisa Anderson

"If you can't be with the one you love, love the one you're with." Kristi Upton

"Words cannot express my innermost feelings about this past year at Clarke College." Lisa Ainsworth

"I'm not only gonna be leaving with an AA degree, but also an MRS Degree." Naomi Crowell

"Very long...too long." Cornelius Terrell

"When they told me DYN-A-MITE came in small packages, I should have known the mailman couldn't find Clarke College. Sharon Grace

"I'm still waiting to get something good from this year and I will

not sleep until I get what's coming to me." Bonnie Johnson

"Confused!" Caryn Treffner

"Next year, I won't wait until the last minute to do my term paper." Jim Hill

"Florida, here I come!!" Suzzie Barnes

Several more students were asked to sum up this past year, but failed to give their responses. As for the ATC's comments on this past year, the editor's response will sum it up for us. "If I weren't a Christian, I'd tell you how HOT it has been on this campus this year. But I am so I won't, but it has been." Tim Johnson

CLARKE COLLEGE

HONORS GIVEN DURING SPECIAL SERVICE

Bulletin Board

This past Wednesday, students faculty, parents, and scholarship donors gathered once again for the annual Clarke College Awards Day ceremony. Fifty scholarships were awarded by Mrs. Evelyn Williams, Financial Aid Director, and Dr. James Read, Academic Dean. All fifty scholarships totaled to approximately \$14,000.00.

There was also a \$100.00 scholarship presented by Mr. Chuck Dugan, President of the Phi-Theta-Kappa, to Mr. Ricky Hunt. Phi-Theta-Kappa is a campus honor society for students with outstanding scholastic work.

Two special awards were given at the conclusion of the ceremony. The Panther Award, which is presented yearly to an outstanding athlete not only for athletic achievement, but also in scholastic achievement, was presented by Dr. Read to Miss Gail Adcock. The most special award given this year was by Tim Johnson, Editor of the AROUND THE CIRCLE. He presented Mrs. Lynn Baker, Librarian, with the title of the ATC's 1987 Faculty Member of the Year. Mrs. Baker was given a plaque and had an opportunity to share a few words with those present.

Listed below are those who received scholarships during the Awards Ceremony:

Big Ridge Baptist Church Scholarship - Jerry Warren & Jerry Bingham
Edward Carroll Fair Scholarship - Mike Ariail

W. W. James Scholarship - Stephanie Graffree
Clarence and Minnie Chapman Scholarship - Clyde Lane
W. T. and Sally Freeman McMullan Scholarship - Neil Elmore
Vera Mantile (Sledge) Murray Scholarship - Terry McNally

Homer H. Ward Scholarship-Teresa Dugan
Alan John Scholarship - Eric Goode
Clara Till King Scholarship-Connie Parnell
Mary Ruth Mangum Scholarship-Suzzie Barnes
Jane B. Foreman Scholarship-Bobby Barton
Martin T. and Pearl Gilbert Scholarship - Tom Fox
Blailock Scholarship - Todd Bailey
John F. and Mattie Carter Scholarship - Sidney Thompson, Paul Sizemore, Ronald Dearman
Lauderdale County WMU Scholarship - Tammy Fox
Nathan Clarke Scholarship-Barry Vinson
Ruth Neely Olander Scholarship-Susan Williams, Ann McGee, Stacy Jones
L. G. Camp, Jr. Scholarship-Allen Martin
Rev. Thomas E. and Hester Fern Lee Scholarship- Robert Moore
Walter Myers Scholarship - Nate Armistad
W. T. and Lalah Edwards McMullan Scholarship-Tony Hickman
Rev. Robert L. Ray, Jr. Scholarship-Ray Spence
Tom Gully Memorial Scholarship-Paul DeMoney
A. L. McGaugh Scholarship-Mary Johnson
Alvin R. and Verna Smith Scholarship-Bryan Pannell
John Edward & Martha Mabel(Sansing) Land Scholarship-Kim Puckett
Yates Accounting Scholarship-John Brand
Newton County WMU Scholarship-Gail Warren
Fair Scholarship-Danny Ellis & Bobby Seal
W. Parham Bridges Scholarship- Charles Henderson & Janea Savell
John C. & Alma Cowley Scholarship-Paul Lartigue & Roy McNeil
Roy & Mildred Pittman Scholarship-James Malehorn
Curtis Bridges, Jr. Scholarship-Jim Hill, Chuck Dugan, John Newbaker, Danny Ethridge
Herbert Valentine Scholarship-Lisa Fletcher

McIlwain Scholarship-Kitty Killen
Helen & Lendon E. Brown Scholarship - Ricky Hunt
Edward Carroll Farr Scholarship-Liddia Ramsey
Phi Theta Kappa Scholarship-Ricky Hunt

The drama class will present portions of the play "Look Back to the Hill" on Monday, May 4, at 8:00 P.M. Everyone is invited to attend.

M. A. will meet Tuesday, May 5, at 4:00 P.M. in the Science Building. Mr. John McBride will be our speaker. M. A. Members must attend; everyone else is invited.

I WOULD BE GREATLY APPRECIATIVE IF NO SIGNS WERE TAPED TO THE CAFETERIA DOOR. PLEASE PUT ALL SIGNS ON THE GREEN BOARD INSIDE THE CAFETERIA. THANK YOU. JEFF BENNETT

Attention graduates there will be an informal reception at the home of Connie Parnell on Monday night, May 4, at 7:00 P.M. for the 1987 graduates. All graduates are cordially invited to attend.

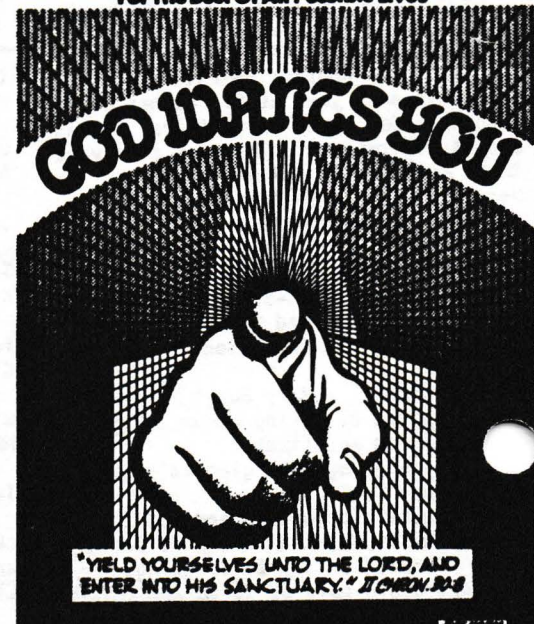
Academic advising will be extended through Tuesday, May 5. Be sure to see your advisor to work out your schedule. This will save you time when you arrive in August.

NOTICE TO ALL STUDENTS!!

If you have last minute decisions about being a summer youth worker, please see me.

Bro. C

For The Best Of All Possible Lives



nowadays people who say
IT CAN'T BE DONE
are being interrupted by
someone else **DOING IT**

God Is Love

BSU News

Roosevelt - Spring Fling became a spring splash as 19 loaded boats took to the water! No swimming was allowed, but who cares? I saw scores of wet, turned over boat Clarke College students all spilled out in the lake. It was super and exciting to see the end of the year participation go all "wet" by choice. For one afternoon all problems seemed to just float away. The atmosphere of fun and "old timey" fellowship prevailed throughout the afternoon. Oh yes! 70 golf games left golf balls the size of "hail" falling all over the place! No one lost. All winners. As Tim Johnson said, "It was the best one ever." I agree and can hardly wait until the next 'away from the College' fling! Thanks to you for going and making everything super great. Please don't tell those who did not go. They will get sick and depressed and may just give up altogether! Our Roosevelt memories of a beautiful lake will linger long into the coming years wherever we go. I am sure that Roosevelt will long feel our presence because wherever Clarke students go, people take notice of them. You did good! Food - yes, thanks to Jeff and the cafeteria staff, we had plenty to eat and some left over. Then more food - desserts by that wonderful Clarke family of administration, faculty and staff. Yes, we were stuffed but happy. Carey and William had to run off and buy cokes to drink - ice also. Thanks, boys!

Bro. C



SUMMER CLASSES SPECIAL EDUCATION COURSES

Mississippi College at
Clarke College Campus
Newton, MS

First Term: June 8 - July 10

8:45 - 10:15 Teaching Mentally Retarded
10:30 - 12:00 Psy. & Ed. of LD

Second Term: July 13 - Aug 14

8:45 - 10:15 Tch. Severe/Profound Hand.
10:30 - 12:00 Assess. & Ind. Prog. - Elem.

Cost: Reduced tuition for inservice teachers (\$200 Per Course)
(Plus \$15 registration fee)

Registration at 8:30 on June 8 & July 13

For preregistration and further information contact:
Mr. Kevin White, Director of Admissions

683-2061

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT

Courses for In - Service Nurses
SUMMER 1987

Clarke College Campus
Newton, MS

General Chemistry I June 2 - July 2
Tuesday & Thursday
6:00 - 9:00 P.M.

General Chemistry II July 7 - August 6
Tuesday & Thursday
6:00 - 9:00 P.M.

Microbiology June 8 - July 30
Monday 6:00 - 8:30 P.M.
Lab TBA

Class sizes are limited: Call in your confirmation before registration.

Final Grades for all courses will be available either on July 17 or August 17.

Cost: Reduced Tuition for Nurses \$200.00 (Plus \$15.00 Registration Fee)

Registration: First Class Meeting for each course

For Further Information Call: Mr. Kevin White, Director of Admissions

601) 683-2061

THURSDAY - MAY 7, 1987

FINAL EXAM SCHEDULE
Spring Semester 1987

WEDNESDAY - MAY 6, 1987

Period	Day of Exam
1 MWF	Wednesday, May 6
2 MWF	Wednesday, May 6
3 MWF	Wednesday, May 6
5 MWF	Wednesday, May 6

Time of Exam
8:00 - 9:30 a.m.
10:00 - 11:30 a.m.
12:30 - 2:00 p.m.
2:30 - 4:00 p.m.

FRIDAY - MAY 8, 1987

Period	Day of Exam
4 MWF	Friday, May 8
5 TTH	Friday, May 8

Time of Exam
8:00 - 9:30 a.m.
10:00 - 11:30 a.m.

Contemporary Music Chart

Contemporary Music Chart is designed to let you know the songs people enjoy most of all. This month we conclude our April top 50 countdown. The top 50 album countdown reflects retail sales only and is compiled from reports obtained from selected Christian radio stations

TOP 50 CHRISTIAN ALBUMS CONTINUED

- 32 - Good News Tonight - Mike Warnke
- 31 - Medal - Russ Taff
- 30 - The Michael W. Smith Project - Michael W. Smith
- 29 - Idle Care - Idle Care
- 28 - Images - Kathy Troccoli
- 27 - Chronology - David Meece
- 26 - Set Apart - Silverwind
- 25 - Straight Ahead - Amy Grant
- 24 - The Wild Frontier - Randy Stonehill
- 23 - On the Run - Lon Gibson
- 22 - From a Servant's Heart - Larnelle Harris
- 21 - The River Is Rising - Greg X. Volz
- 20 - Holly Rollin' - Bryan Duncan
- 19 - One on One - Steve Camp
- 18 - Age to Age - Amy Grant
- 17 - So Glad I Know - Kenience Williams
- 16 - Hymns - 2nd Chapter of Acts
- 15 - Kids Sing Praise - The Branches
- 14 - Against the Wind - Holm
- 13 - More Than Wonderful - Sandi Patti
- 12 - The Champion - Carman
- 11 - Don't Wait for the Movie - White Heart
- 10 - Songs From the Heart - Sandi Patti
- 9 - Unguarded - Amy Grant
- 8 - Street Light - DeGarmo & Key
- 7 - Back to the Street - Petra
- 6 - Hymns Just For You - Sandi Patti
- 5 - The Big Picture - Michael W. Smith
- 4 - To Hell With the Devil - Stryper
- 3 - For God and God Alone - Steve Green
- 2 - Morning Like This - Sandi Patti
- 1 - THE COLLECTION - Amy Grant

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CHOIR TOUR UNFORGETTABLE TEN DAYS

"Listen, everyone! The back seat has been spoken for!" (That came from Carla McNally, Tim Johnson and Shea McReynolds.)

"Hey, look! Beethoven is going with us on choir tour!" (That came from Teresa Boggs, referring to her oversized pound puppy that took up at least half of a seat.)

All of the hustle and bustle of choir members, as well as "beeps" from the bus backing into loading position at the Fine Arts Building door, let everyone on the Clarke College campus know that the spring choir tour was about to begin! Loads of suitcases and garment bags, plus visers and P.A. equipment were loaded into the U-haul trailer and every available storage space inside the bus was stuffed. After meeting inside the choir room for vocal warm-ups and prayer, the choir members ate a noon meal in the cafeteria with their friends, said their good-byes, loaded on the bus and were on their way at last!

Montevallo, Alabama was the first destination, so the smoothness of Interstate 20 West brought about a miracle: The travelers became very quiet and many of them went to sleep. Staying up until the wee hours of the morning getting packed and ready to go might have had something to do with the drowsiness. However, one thing that was sure to make them come to life during the ten day bus ride was a rest stop about every two hours, then a scramble for rest rooms and snack bars took place. After refreshments came time for fun and games on the bus. Sometimes those on the back seats would become hysterical and others would go back to learn who the comedian was. At other times, the activity would take place at the front of the bus.

Everyone was surprised by the presence of former President, Jimmy Carter and President Ronald Reagan in the person of Kevin White, as he responded to questions by representatives of the Clarke College Press.

One highlight of the bus tour was a cassette tape made by Sandy Summers, who interviewed different choir members about various subjects of interest. Perhaps it was the strain of producing this tape that weakened her resistance to germs that brought her down with a severe infection. By Friday of the tour, a doctor's services were being sought for her. Then she bounced back with vigor after taking all the medicine that was given her.

Each choir member had his time in the spotlight during the ten day tour. To mention a few: Nila Miller enjoyed a "Walk Man"; as many others did, but her talent proved to be exceptional as she listened through the ear phones, kept time with her head, and slept soundly at the same time.

Who could ever forget Tim Johnson's rendition of "Amazing Grace" done by Geraldine and Bubba?

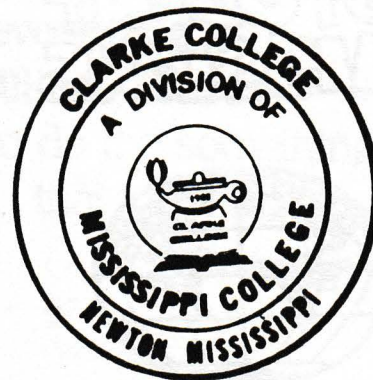
Even the leaders had their day: Mr. Adams became camera shy and began to fight for control of the guilty cameras; Mrs. Thornton, who is usually fairly reserved, came forth with some one liners; Kevin White was responsible for Buddy Ramey arising at 3:30 A.M., taking a bath and preparing for a new day.

As the tour progressed, the choir members learned that each church visited had a different personality and a different level of growth in spiritual fellowship. The church types varied like this: an old established town church with a great historical past, which had split into two churches as new leadership moved in; small rural churches which had a great fellowship and loads of home-cooked food; a military oriented church which had an 80% turnover in membership every 2 years, but in spite of this, was growing by leaps and bounds. (This church sponsored English classes for Korean, Indian, French and Spanish people who came to their church) a more formal church in downtown U.S.A.; a church experiencing revival services, in which the choir took part; churches which filled the pews for the choir worship service in spite of a driving rain and an unseasonal blizzard!

The hospitality in the homes where the members stayed was for the most part, outstanding. Sometimes they slept in the lap of luxury and sometimes cramped in modest homes. Two of the most unusual places were a large home that had a history of being haunted and one small apartment which had only one bed.

Living in such close communion on a touring bus for ten days is a laboratory of human experience. The situation will produce human reactions as toes get stepped on literally and figuratively. It also shows Christian love in action as choir members shared inner-most thoughts and feelings with each other during devotional times. The Christian spirit of the group was noted and commented on by those who attended the services and who hosted members in their homes. One pastor commented that it was the refreshment that his church needed.

The Clarke College Choir members and leaders are grateful to the staff and administration for helping provide for the spring tour to take place. It was an experience that will always live in the lives who participated.





April 13 - Monday, Baseball game at home NEJC. 1:00 P.M.

April 16 - Easter Sunrise Service - baseball field.

April 17 - Easter Holiday! Classes dismissed and offices closed.

The following students will be traveling to Ellisville State School on Thursday, April 16, and will not attend classes.

Lisa Ainsworth
Teresa Boggs
Mary Burt
Carol Carney
Janice Clanton
Cindy Craig
Sherry Dugan
Donna Kay Gomillion
Wyatt Harvey
Pam Hillman
Karen Howard
Tim Johnson
Stacy Jones
Tonya Lidberg
Carol May
Carla McNally
Shea McReynolds
Connie Parnell
Buddy Ramey
Sandy Summers
Pam Waldrop
Gale Warren
Angelia Weems
Susan Williams

**BAPTIST
STUDENT
MISSIONS**



Quiet Moments

Where do you live - - in a quiet secluded spot or on the growing edge? Jean Marie Crabtree who is a missionary in Papua, New Guinea with Wycliffe, has this to say --

The Growing Edge

by Jean Marie Crabtree,
Papua New Guinea

Many Wycliffe members serve in places where earthquakes are common. In Papua New Guinea, an unusually long earthquake—four minutes!—brought this creative response from Jean.

Dear Lord,

It isn't always comfortable being on the edge of the shifting tectonic plates of character qualities, Colliding with this virtue and that.
Always seeming to be the subducting plate.
Always being forced slowly but surely to bear the weight of the foreign mass.

But Lord, that's how mountain peaks are formed, isn't it. And continuing subduction causes continual height increase.

It's at the edges that we shape new character, isn't it. In the interior of the island of my life, where all is stable and static, I'm not forming mountain peaks but marshes, not grandeur but gunk.

Lord, keep me on the growing edge of life's adventures with you.

Letters to the Editor

Dear Editor,

Before coming to Clarke College, I heard about the good Christian campus and the good Christian people. Almost everyone talks about the "great atmosphere" here on campus. I looked forward to coming here to get away from my high school. The people there were nosey and tried to keep up with my business.

Lately a big problem has come to my attention. When you ask the students here what they are majoring in, they reply, "Biblical Studies, Elementary Education, Religious Education, Music or Business Administration."

But for 95% of the students they should say "Business" (everybody else's business). This really upsets me. If you are seen walking around the circle with a person of the opposite sex, you will have at least ten people to ask you later, "Are ya'll dating now?" Also, if you are already dating someone on campus and are seen walking around without that person, you are asked "Where is so-and-so?" People here can't comprehend the fact of a guy and a girl being close friends. I think it is great for two people of the opposite sex to share something as special as friendship and it should be no one else's concern. In my opinion, if everyone would spend half as much time keeping up with themselves as they do keeping up with others, this would be a better campus.

I know I have been guilty in the past of being "nosey" but I feel if someone wants me to know what they are doing, they will tell me. Let's all try to do our part to make the remainder of this semester a pleasant one. Thank you.

NO LONGER A "BUSINESS MAJOR"

BSU News

BSU Easter Sunrise Service bright and early on April 16! Bobby Seal will be in charge of the program at the baseball bleachers. COME!!

Contemporary Music Chart

Contemporary Music Chart is designed to let you know the songs people enjoy most of all. Each month we will be bringing you a three-part top 50 Christian Albums Countdown. We will also be bringing the top 10 Christian songs in the categories of rock, contemporary, inspirational, and contemporary hits.

The top 50 Album Countdown reflects retail sales only and is compiled from reports obtained from selected Christian radio stations.

Let's take a look at last month's countdown part I and see how they are doing. Six albums from last month have fallen off the chart including Sandi Patti's album SANDI'S SONGS. There were three albums that dropped from their last month position to a lower one this month. SUNDAY'S ON THE WAY by Carman and KIDS PRAISE 5 by Maranatha Kids held their same position as last month. The three big jumpers in part I of this month's countdown is GUT LEVEL MUSIC by Altar Boys who jumped 13 notches from No. 50 to No. 37, DIAMOND & RAIN by The Choir jumped from No. 47 to No. 38, and TRIUMPH by Phillip Bailey climbed 7 notches from No. 41 to No. 34.

As for our top 10 countdown, FEAR ONLY YOU fell from its No. 1 position to No. 4. BREAKAWAY and CALLING ON YOU held their same position and last month's No. 5 song jumped to No. 1. Check the chart to find out what it is. Until next week, BYE, BYE!

- 50 Instruments of Praise - Phil Driscoll
- 49 Captured in Time and Space- Petra
- 48 Michael W. Smith 2 - Michael W. Smith
- 47 Shadowlands - Sheila Walsh
- 46 The First Sunday Sing-A-Long - The Maranatha Kids
- 45 Shelter - Lone Justice
- 44 Scandalon - Michael Card
- 43 Manifesto - Farrell & Farrell
- 42 Undivided - First Call
- 41 Black & White in a Grey World - Leslie Phillips
- 40 Kim Boyce - Kim Boyce
- 39 Master of the Metal - Messiah Prophet
- 38 Diamonds and Rain - The Choir
- 37 Gut Level Music - Altar Boys
- 36 Sunday's on the Way - Carman
- 35 Kid's Praise 5 - The Maranatha Kids
- 34 Triumph - Phillip Bailey
- 33 Steve Green - Steve Green
- 1 THE WILD FRONTIER - Randy Stonehill
- 2 Breakaway - Idle Cure
- 3 Calling on You - Stryper
- 4 Fear Only You - The Choir
- 5 Whole World - Petra
- 6 Impressed - Tonio K.
- 7 Underground River - Benny Hester
- 8 Ain't It Pretty - Jon Gibson
- 9 Don't Stop the Music - DeGarmo & Key
- 10 Livin' for the Bell - Greg X. Volz

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**I am only one,
But I am one.
I cannot do everything,
But I can do something.
And because I cannot do
everything,
I will not refuse
to do the something
that I can do.**

—Edward Everett Hale

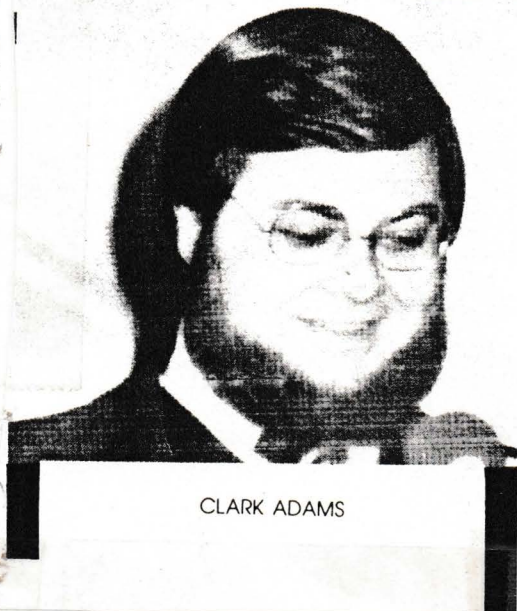
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CHOIR BEGINS TOUR

The Clarke College Choir is "on the road again". Today at 12:15 p.m. the choir, under the direction of Mr. Clark Adams, loaded on the bus for a week of worship, testimonies, and most definitely fun. They will be traveling through the states of Alabama, Georgia, South Carolina, Virginia, and good ole' Mississippi.

The purpose of this tour is for the students to share about Christ with others through their music. Kevin White, Admissions Director, will also be traveling with the choir to promote the college and to find new prospects for the coming year. Many students from out of state who come to Clarke learned about the school because of this wonderful group.

The choir will be returning to campus Sunday, April 5. With them, they will be bringing a weeks worth of news to share with you about their trip. You will not want to miss one detail.

Pictured to the left are this years members of the choir. (L to R) Marian Thornton; accompanist. Teresa Pannell, Mary Johnson, Donna Kay Gomillion, Lisa Fletcher, Sandy Summers, Shea McReynolds, Tonya Lidberg, Lisa Ainsworth, Carla McNally, Teresa Boggs, Sheila Ethridge, Tim Johnson, Rhonda Oney, Nila Miller, Naomi Crowell, Buddy Ramey, Brian Pannell, Rip Wolverton, Tony Hickman, Jim Hill, Tim McCaffrey.

Quiet Moments

Springtime!! Now that springtime is here, what are you doing about it? When the bears come out of hibernation, we humans get lazy and sleepy and let the beauty of springtime pass. Wake up! See something new and refreshing every day. Even the writer of Psalms 97:1 recognizes "The Lord reigns; let the earth rejoice! and IS. 8:1 "O Lord, Our Lord, how excellent is thy name in all the earth. Who has set thy glory above the heavens."

Priscilla May Moore so well expressed it all in th poem, "Spring Speaks To the Heart"

Welcome to springtime every year
With awe and wonder in the heart,
Beholding miracles of leaf and flower.

For all around we see and hear
The signs of summer beauty start
Awakening in forest, field, and bower.

Each day reveals new loveliness
In spring's unfolding pageantry;
Streams once ice-locked and flowing everywhere.

Responding to God's power to bless
The sleeping earth and set it free,
The heart wells up and overflows in prayer.

Spring Speaks to the Heart,
by Priscilla May Moore.

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DOUBLE TAKE

CLARKE COLLEGE

A DIVISION OF MISSISSIPPI COLLEGE

By: Tim Johnson

All my life I have heard that everyone has a "look-a-like" in the world. I always wondered what it would be like to have someone to look like me and for both of us to have common interests. This is a dream we all have at one time or another. Could two people actually have this to happen? Thinking that me dream, which seemed silly at the time, would never come true, I placed it aside and continued my life without a look-alike.

Several years later, here I am a senior in college. It is hard to believe how fast life is passing before me. There are so many goals and dream yet to be reached. Yet, there are many which have already been achieved. God has always brought most of my dreams to reality.

On Thursday night, January 24, he continued blessing me by making another dream come true.

Not having much to do on campus during the weekends, led me to attend a basketball game between Clarke College and East Central Jr. College. Finding my seat, I looked across the court and stared at a familiar person sitting on our opponents' side. To my amazement, I was seeing myself! It was like watching myself on a video screen. Before long, I discovered that this look-alike not only favored me, but he had characteristics that were most definitely mine.

Unable to focus my mind on the basketball game, I began to study this person with great curiosity. I HAD TO KNOW MORE! After the game, I learned his name, but was unable to find the courage to approach him.

Four days later, the opportunity came for me to meet my look-alike.

He stated that his favorite foods are Mexican, fried chicken, and seafood.

Patrick is number 23 on the ECJC Warriors Basketball Team. Recently he received a serious knee injury. Before the injury, he was scoring almost 16 points per game.

Several interests of Patrick's are fishing, volleyball, dancing, and basketball.

My look-alike was recently surprised when he was voted Freshman Class favorite. This blond haired, brown eyed, 6'4" athlete stated about his fellow classmates, "Everyone is nice." ECJC, according to him, is not much different from Clarke. For instance, Patrick said everyone is gone by 3:00 P.M. on Friday, headed for home. Only a small group stays for the weekend. "I expected EC to be bigger, but it's nice for its size."

While talking to Patrick, I could sense his looking me over, searching for familiar characteristics, as I was doing to him. It is hard to believe we are only a few miles apart. God has granted another dream come true. Even though EC and Clarke are BIG BIG rivals, maybe through this "miracle" we can become closer as institutions of higher learning.

Quiet Moments

Have you been slapped lately? Well, I don't mean literally slapped, but have your feelings been hurt? If so, Murial Larson, a free lance writer from Greenville, SC, says, "Trials, hurts, and insults we suffer can actually result in a more meaningful reward for us if we will let them."

If you are hurt, don't hurt back. Look around to see if your feelings are on your shoulder. Hurt can be a direct result of pride and self centeredness. This is not always true, so let's say you have been hurt; now what? First, do not let anything sidetrack you from serving Christ. Second, do not run for a hole like a rabbit and hide. Third, remember: "When the going gets tough, the tough get going." Last, it does not matter how many times you get knocked down, but it does matter how many times you get up!

Let's face it together, no matter how rough the cold north wind is blowing!

Bro. "C"



Bulletin Board

SPECIAL REMINDER:

According to the Clarke College 1986-87 catalog and announcements, "Students are expected to attend Sunday School and Church services on Sunday. All students are urged to affiliate with the local church of their choice."

MA NOTICE: M. A. meeting will be held Tuesday, Feb. 3, 3:00 P.M. Marjean Patterson, State WMU Director will be speaking. MA members must attend. Anyone who would like to come is invited.

SPECIAL REQUEST FROM P. BROCK:

I would like very much to make a photograph of all beauties and beaus as soon as possible to be sent to their home town news papers and the Newton Record by next Friday, Feb. 6. This can be a group picture. Please plan to meet me in the lobby of the Fine Arts Building immediately after chapel on Wed. Feb. 4. THANKS!

NOTICE: our Library now has approximately 1000 paperback volumes ready for your use. These include westerns, short stories, novels, education, etc. The paperback collection is located in the reading room.

COME AND READ!

NOTICE FROM MRS. BAKER TO PTK:

Candidates for initiation into PTK should meet in the Library with Mrs. Baker on Tuesday, February 3, at 3:30 for a brief meeting.

SPECIAL INVITATION

January 27, 1987

On Tuesday night, February 3, 1987 Valley Food Service will treat the students of Clarke College to an Old Fashioned Waffle and Ice Cream Social. The menu will be as listed:

Buttermilk waffles
Smoked Sausage Links
Hashbrown potatoes
Southern style grits and oatmeal
The Valley Fruit and Fiber Bar
Biscuits
Assorted yougarts
Strawberry, Blueberry, whipped cream toppings
Syrup selections
French Coffee, Hot Chocolate, and Hot Apple Cider with cinnamon
Assorted Ice Cream selection

Please make your plans to attend.

NOTE: Meal service at regular scheduled times.



Thank you,

Jeff Bennett

Jeff Bennett

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We Have A Salad Bar

Thank you Very Much.

Smile And

Have A Nice Day



Letters to the Editor

FROM THE STAFF OF ATC

We wish to remind all students that "Letters to the Editor" was designed for students to voice their opinions.

This publication will continue to print both sides of any issue presented, if it is in keeping with standards of Clarke College.

Peggy Brock, Sponsor
Tim Johnson, Editor



Dear Editor,

I came to Clarke College for an education, not to experiment with malnutrition. People from Mississippi like potatoes and meat, not rice and peppers.

I am not a Chinaman or a Mexican. We have rice at least three times a week. The students who stay here on the weekends get to have breakfast with cornbread and string beans. For lunch, we get eggs, sausage and okra. For supper we get refried barbeque chicken baked for extra taste.

Signed,

ULCER



Dear Editor:

I am writing in response to "Letters to the Editor" printed in the January 23, edition of AROUND THE CIRCLE.

First of all, on behalf of the Food Committee and the officers of the Student Body Association, I would like to apologize to "Starving" and other students for having led to such dissatisfaction with their representation in Student Government.

The members of the SBA Council agree that changes need to be made in cafeteria service. However, we also believe that such changes can be instigated without hurting anyone's feelings, as did the statements that were printed in the previous AROUND THE CIRCLE.

In the regular meeting at 5:30 on January 15, the SBA Council discussed plans to distribute a "Student Survey" through which we would have documented proof of the students' opinions on the cafeteria, dormitory life, chapel meetings, and other matters related to campus life.

I can assure you that the SBA Council has not forgotten the concerns of the students. The SBA Council is made up of students who have sincere desires to represent our fellow students in campus matters.

I humbly suggest that students submit future complaints in writing directly to their representative on the SBA Council. These letters should have been "Letters to the SBA; and not "Letters to the Editor". While some verbal comments have been made concerning the cafeteria, not one written complaint has been submitted to the SBA by which we might have documented evidence that we are not just "acting on our own."

We appreciate student input into these matters and wish to assure them that direct action is being taken to remedy this problem in our cafeteria.

Praternally Yours,
Jim Hill
SBA President

Dear Editor,

Thanks for printing the "Around The Circle". If it were not for this paper, I (and others like myself) would not be aware of what's happening on Clarke's campus. I appreciate the trouble and time that goes into the paper, so please keep up the good work.

I would like to make a few comments about the cafeteria food controversy that seems to be sweeping Clarke's campus. Everywhere I go, that's all people talk about. I do think Jeff and his staff do as well as they can considering what they have to work with. I'm sure you have heard this and most of you will laugh when you read it, but why can't you be thankful for what you have regardless of how bad or how good it is. Because of certain things that have happened in my life recently, I have learned to thank God for everything, good and bad. The cafeteria food is not my favorite, but at least we have food to eat. There are so many people less fortunate than ourselves and we need to think about those who don't have. We need to learn to be thankful for what we have and not wish for better things. God didn't promise us life would be easy and he didn't

promise that Clarke's cafeteria food would be as good as mother's; but He did promise us that he would take care of us and supply our needs. He also said, "Give thanks".

Keep up the good work.

Signed,

Betsy

Dear Editor:

The cafeteria and management and staff of Valley Food Service strives very hard to ensure the quality, sanitation, and customer satisfaction, and personalized professional service to the entire campus. We very rarely receive a simple "thank you", or "we appreciate you" from any of the students.

It is very hard to please everyone, but we give it our best shot. The letters printed last week were a sorry excuse for an overall satisfaction with a number of things here on our campus, and it just so happened that the cafeteria was the target. I surely didn't appreciate it. The statements made that the students were starving were a joke. I think that we would all agree that all of us are extremely FAR FROM STARVING!!!

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Letters continued...

Monday

LUNCH

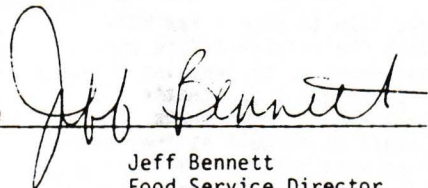
Spaghetti and meatballs
Chicken pot pie
Cream of broccoli soup
Candied yams
Green Beans
Vegetable Sticks
Banana Pudding & Gingerbread

SUPPER

Roast Beef
Shrimp Stew
Buttered Rice
Steamed Carrots
Whole Kernel Corn
Baby Lima Beans
Chocolate Chip Cookies
Fruit Cup



We have a much more loyal, dedicated, and professionally run food service compared to other schools. I think we should all appreciate it more and if there are complaints, suggestions, comments, etc., they should be brought before me in a positive and amicable way that will lead to a great result and make the cafeteria a better place for Clarke College.


Jeff Bennett
Food Service Director

Tuesday

LUNCH

Chicken Filet Sandwiches
Beef Tips with Gravy over Pasta
Tomato Vegetable Soup
Cottage Fries
Japanese Mixed Vegetables
Bread Pudding
Sugar Cookies

Thursday

LUNCH

Meat Loaf
Fish Sticks
Corn O'Brien
Broccoli and carrot mix
Field peas
Chocolate Swirled pudding
Fresh Fruit

SUPPER

Pork Chops
Hamburger noodle casserole
Fried Okra
Candied yams
Butter Beans
Pecan Pie
Jello Parfaits

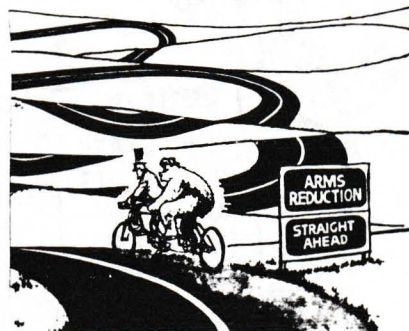
Wednesday

LUNCH

Tacos
Hamburger Steak
Potatoes and gravy
Broccoli with hollandaise sauce
Corn on the cob
Cherry turnovers
Apple pies

SUPPER

Baked Chicken Breast with white sauce
Pizza
Steamed Cauliflower
Fried Eggplant
Whole Kernel Corn
Ambrosia
Mile High Delight



Friday

SUPPER

Hamburgers with all the trimmings
Baked Catfish
Baked Potatoes
Mixed vegetables
Steamed Cabbage
Assorted pies
Fruit

LUNCH

Breaded Veal Cutlets
Lasagna
Deep Fried Parsley Potatoes
Steamed Cabbage
English peas with mushrooms
Chocolate Cherry Cake
Lemon Ice Box Pie

STUDENT SEARCH

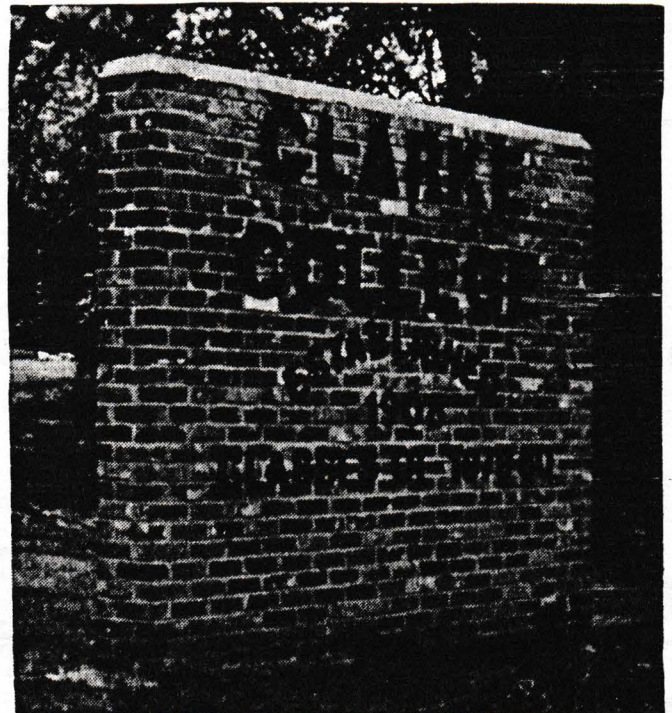
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LEFT.

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 KEVIN BAILEY
 AMANDA HALL
 CHARLES HENDERSON
 TONY HICKMAN
 JIM HILL
 KAREN HOWARD
 CARLA MCNALLY
 ANN MAGEE
 NILA MILLER
 RHONDA ONEY
 POGO
 KEN SHELL
 RAY SPENCE
 JOHNNY SYKES
 CARYN TREFFNER
 DAVID VALENTINE
 BARRY VINSON
 PAM WALDROP
 SUSAN WILLIAMS

BOOKSTORE HOURS

<u>DAY</u>	<u>A.M.</u>	<u>P.M.</u>
Mon.	8:45-9:45	1:30-2:30
Tues.	8:30-9:30 11:00-12:00	2:30-3:30
Wed.	8:45-9:45	1:30-2:30
Thur.	8:30-9:30 11:00-12:00	2:30-3:30
Fri.	8:45-9:45	CLOSED



CLARKE SPLITS WITH ECJC

Clarke College ~~downed~~ ECJC 92-71 in Saturday nights game behind 57 points from Ann and Bunnie Magee. Ann's 20 and Bunnie's 37 led the attack. ECJC led early 8-2 but after an 8-8 game, Clarke took control and never looked back. Leading at intermission 45-26 and continued their hot shooting building up a 24 point lead. ECJC (4-15) was led by Regina Amos 28 points and Tracy Sturat with 10. Clarke 6-10 had four players in double figures. Lisa Anderson pitched in 14 points and 12 rebounds as Gail Adcock added 10. Clarke plays Pearl River Jr. College Jan. 27 at Pearl River in women only and visits Holmes Saturday night 6:00 men and women.

In men's action ECJC downed Clarke by a score of 68-62, poor shooting and 15 turnovers (10 in the second half) coupled with poor defense in the second half led to the ECJC victory. With the score Clarke 31 ECJC 30 at intermission, ECJC went to work hitting the boards shooting the ball from the outside. EC was led by Gary Anderson 16, Bryne Drummond 14, Arness Georgetown 12, and Terry Hoskins 10. Clarke was paced by Cornelius Terrell with 21 and Johann Jones with 18 and Nate Armistad with 14.



LIBRARY HOURS
MON 8am-10pm
TUES 8am-10pm
WED 8am-6pm
THUR 8am-10pm
FRI 8am-3:30pm



OOPS, I forgot to study!

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SOPHOMORES NAMED TO WHO'S WHO

The 1987 edition of WHO'S WHO AMONG STUDENTS IN AMERICAN JUNIOR COLLEGES will include the names of 5 students from Clarke College who have been selected as national outstanding campus leaders.



Campus nominating committees and editors of the annual directory have included the names of these students based on their academic achievement, service to the community, leadership and extracurricular activities and potential for continued success.

They join an elite group of students selected from more than 1,400 institutions of higher learning in all 50 states, the District of Columbia and several foreign nations.

Outstanding students have been honored in the annual directory since it was first published in 1934.

PICTURED ABOVE ARE: GAIL ADCOCK, SANDY SUMMERS, CONNIE PARNELL, DONNA KAY GOMILLION, AND CHUCK DUGAN

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somebody!*

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Added to this group for the 1986-87 school year from Clarke College were: Charles Dugan, II; Donna Kay Gomillion; Connie Parnell; Sandra DeNean Summers; and Gail Adcock.

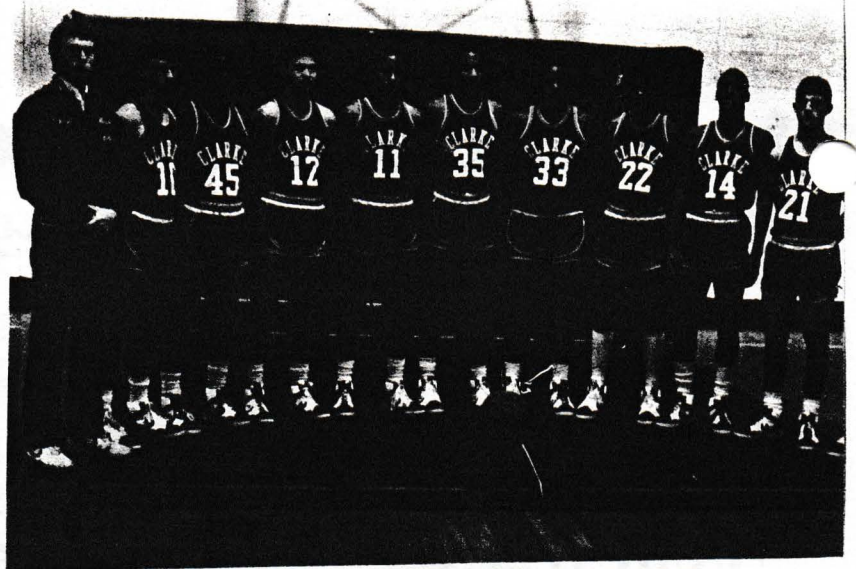
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LAST CHANCE TO HAVE ANNUAL PICTURES MADE! Mr. Lowery Wilson will be on campus Wednesday, January 21, to make pictures for all students who have not had them made for the annual. Time: 11:00 A.M. - 1:30 P.M. Science Building.

MORE NEWS NEEDED!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

The staff of Around The Circle urges all organizations to submit news each wee for the campus newspaper. Please have it on Peggy Brock's desk by Thursday morning.

Phi Theta Kappa will meet Wednesday, 3:30 P.M. in the Library (Jan. 21). All members PLEASE BE PRESENT.



CONGRATULATIONS ON WINNING LAST NIGHT'S GAME!!! 78 - 74

Garland Boyd, Kevin Bailey, Charles Henderson, Barry Vinson, Cornelius Terrell, Nathaniel Armistad, Anthony Crosby, Johann Jones, Eric Goode and COACH BUTLER!!!

Academic Calendar

Second Semester 1986-87

January 12, Monday, 10:00 a.m. Residence halls will open
 January 12, Monday. Orientation of new students and registration for night classes
 January 13, Tuesday Registration
 January 14, Wednesday Classes begin
 January 15, Thursday Schedules can be changed
 January 30, Friday Last day for enrolling or adding classes
 March 6, Friday MID-SEMESTER
 Last day to drop a course
 March 7-15 Spring Recess
 (Residence halls will close at 9:00 a.m. on Saturday, March 7, and will re-open at 2:00 p.m. on Sunday, March 15. Classes will resume on March 16 at 8:00 a.m.)
 April 17, Friday Easter Holiday
 May 6-11, Wednesday-Monday Final Examinations
 May 12, Tuesday, 2:00 p.m. Graduation
 Fine Arts Auditorium
 May 16, Saturday, 2:00 p.m. Graduation
 M.C. Coliseum

For further information contact Director of Admissions



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In the Spotlight

BASEBALL SCHEDULE - 1986-87

In the spotlight this week are two students. One new student and one who attended Clarke last year, was out one semester and has now rejoined us.

The latter is Cleveland "Mad Dog" McAfee. Cleveland is the son of Mrs. Mattie McAfee of Philadelphia, MS. He stated that he wanted to pursue a career in physical education and also elementary education. When asked what made him decide to return to Clarke, he said he really missed the atmosphere because it is a place where you can "get things done." Cleveland's hobbies include basketball for which he has received numerous awards, baseball, football, and most every other sport. Another hobby he mentioned was socializing.. When back at home, Cleve attended Steven's Chapel United Methodist Church. His favorite T.V. show is Sanford and Son. In closing, Cleve stated that he feels everyone should live by the Golden Rule: "Do Unto others as you would have them do unto you."

Our new student this week is John Darrell Faulk of Memphis, TN, better known as Darry. Darry is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Frank of Memphis. Before attending Clarke, he was a student at Shelby State one semester. He stated that he chose Clarke mainly to play basketball, but his good friend, Eric Goode had a lot to do with his decision. Darry's major is business. he listed as his hobbies: water skiing playing ball, hunting, and fishing. When back in Memphis he attends the First Assembly of God Church. When asked how he likes Clarke, he stated that he has met some really interesting people and is growing to like it a lot. We welcome you to our school. Darry.

Feb. 20	Hinds Jr. College	Away	1:00 P.M.	D.H.
24	Hinds Jr. College	Home	1:00 P.M.	D.H.
27	Brewer State	Away	1:00 P.M.	D.H.
Mar. 13	Lewis-Clark	Home	1:00 P.M.	D.H.
14	Ittawamba Jr. College	Away	1:00 P.M.	D.H.
16	East Central Jr. College	Home	1:00 P.M.	D.H.
19	East MS Jr. College	Away	1:00 P.M.	D.H.
21	Brewer State	Home	1:00 P.M.	D.H.
25	Jones Jr. College	Home	1:30 P.M.	D.H.
30	Southwest Jr. College	Away	1:00 P.M.	D.H.
Apr. 1	East MS Jr. College	Home	1:00 P.M.	D.H.
3	Faulkner State	Away	1:00 P.M.	D.H.
7	Meridian Jr. College	Away	1:00 P.M.	D.H.
10	East Central Jr. College	Away	1:00 P.M.	D.H.
13	North East Jr. College	Home	1:00 P.M.	D.H.
17	Delgado	Away	1:00 P.M.	D.H.
21	Meridian Jr. College	Home	1:00 P.M.	D.H.
23	Southwest Jr. College	Home	1:00 P.M.	D.H.
25	Mary Holmes Jr. College	Away	1:00 P.M.	D.H.
27	Jones Jr. College	Away	1:30 P.M.	D.H.
30	Delgado	Home	1:00 P.M.	D.H.
May 2	Mary Holmes	Home	1:00 P.M.	D.H.

Quiet Moments

Let's look at a personal paraphrase of Matthew 28: 16-20 -- Then the students went to Clarke College where Jesus had told them to go. When they saw him, they worshiped him, but some doubted. Then Jesus came to them and said, "Since all authority has been given to me, I am asking you to go as a summer missionary, a staffer at Gulfshore, Central Hills, Camp Garaywa, Ridgecrest, or some church. As you do this you will help me make disciples of all people. Then they will be baptised and you will teach them to do what I have commanded. Remember, when you go, I will always go with you."

The call and challenge has been issued. Will you go?

BRO. C

LIFE'S DAILY MENU

WHICH DO YOU CHOOSE TODAY?

MENU HOW TO HAVE A "TERRIFIC" DAY

APPETIZER

Awaken Early Appreciation for Life
 Inspirational Reading Good News Immediately
 Early Morning Walk or Run Smiles & Enthusiasm
 Devotion & Thanksgiving Recognition & Expectation
 Brief Regular Exercise Vibrant Health & Strong Body
 Positive Cassette Tape Message Vision & Encouragement
 Shower & Readiness Freshness & Anticipation

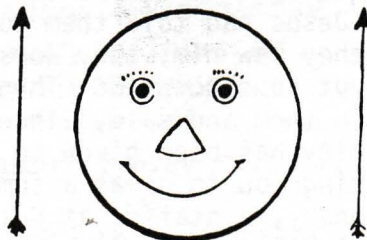
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ENTREE

Nourishing Breakfast (25%) Alertness, Energy, Vitality
 Multi-Vitamin + E + C + A Energy, Vitality, Immunity
 Wholesome, Positive Thoughts Accomplishment & Wealth
 Pleasant Greetings to Everyone Many Friends & Happiness
 Give Sincere Appreciation Love, Honor & Cooperation
 Listen More, Talk Less Respect, Approval, Knowledge
 Plan for the Day & Future Creativity & Organization
 Do One Task at a Time Accomplish Greatly
 See Your Work as Pleasurable Outstanding Achievement
 Moderate Lunch (50%) Alive, Alert & Awake
 Work/Rest/Work/Rest Prosperity & Satisfaction
 (Mind Controlled Relaxation)
 Count Your Blessings Abundance, Love & Serenity
 Play & Relaxation Happiness & Enjoyment
 Moderation & Temperance Clear, Calm & Organized
 Reasonable Dinner (25%) Comfortable & Relaxed

DESSERT

Review Your Accomplishments Peace of Mind & Success
 Prayer Homage & Self-Confidence
 Relax & Sleep Sweet Dreams & Full Life



TERRIFIC!

MENU HOW TO HAVE A "BAD" DAY

APPETIZER

Awaken Late (Have to Rush) Anxiety & Bitterness
 Go Get Newspaper (Like a Dog) Mostly Bad News
 Digest Bad News on the Run Feel Bad & Get Mad
 No Devotion or Inspiration Low Spirit, Easily Offended
 No Exercise Sluggish, Tired & Run Down
 Radio or Television Report Disaster, Trouble & Despair
 Too Late to Get Bath Sleepy, Stinky & Unkempt

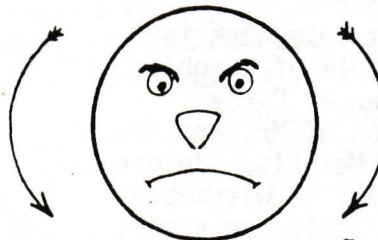
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ENTREE

No Breakfast or Coffee & Donut Hungry, Mean & Nervous
 Cigarette, Candy, Cola Hacking Cough, Indigestion
 Negative, Derogatory Thoughts Problems & Depression
 Unfriendly & Ugly to Others Few or No Friends
 Criticize, Condemn & Complain Condemnation, No Love
 Dictate, Direct & Demand Disrespect & Ridicule
 No Plans for the Day or Future Disorganized & Sour
 Tackle Everything at Once Confusion & Disorder
 See Your Job as Necessary Evil Barely Get By
 Lunch-Greasy & Hurned Drowsy, Gassy & Dull
 Work/Work/Work/Work Little Money & Fatigue
 (Stay Too Busy to Rest & Relax)
 Curse Life & Gripe Poverty, Hate & Worrry
 No Play & No Relaxation Tension & Frustration
 Indulgence & Dissipation Illness, Tired, No Confidence
 Dinner-Drink & Eat Heavy Burp, Barf & Nightmares

DESSERT

Worry, Fret & Be Tense Sickness, Fear & Failure
 No Prayer of Thanksgiving Selfish, Resentful & Jealous
 Stay Upright & Poor Sleep Bad Dreams & Half-Life



BAH, TERRIBLE...

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Clarke Education Majors Attend Conference

On October 28 and 29 Dr. May Jayne Myers, Dr. Jeannette Murphey, and 23 elementary education majors from Clarke College attended a two-day educational conference in Jackson at the Holiday Inn Downtown. The conference was sponsored by the State Department of Education and the National Diffusion Network, which funds and disseminates information concerning pilot educational programs that have been nationally-validated.

The keynote speaker for the conference was Dr. Richard A. Boyd, State Superintendent of Education. Other speakers at the general session were Dr. Walter H. Moore, Director of the Bureau for Special Services, and Dr. Bobby Stacy, Conference Coordinator. After the general session, the faculty and students of Clarke College selected from 31 different small group sessions to attend during the rest of the two-day conference. Presented at these small group sessions were educational programs designed for different grade levels in the area of reading, math, science, writing, creativity, special education, and physical education.

The education majors from

Clarke College who attended these workshops were Angelia Weems, Carol Carney, Gerald Carney, Mike Price, Pam Waldrop, Donna Kay Gomillion, Gale Warren, Mary Burt, Kenya Watson, Gail Hamrick, Patricia Brown, Martha Tadlock, Sherry Dugan, Jennifer Gross, Cheryl Carney, Wanda Clark, Daphne Pigott, Karen Howard, Susan Williams, Sidney Cook, Connie Parnell, Stacy Jones, and Ann McGee.



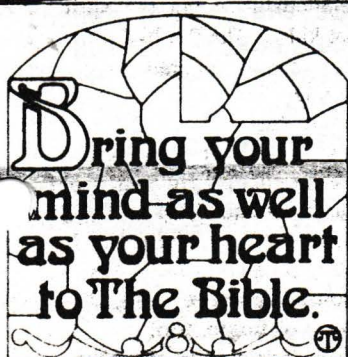
Homecoming and Preview Day

The annual alumni Homecoming Day has been changed to Saturday, November 22, 1986. This will also be our Admissions High School Preview Day. In the past, these two days were held at the same time and gave alumni an opportunity to bring prospects with them. We are doing this again this year and trust that you will bring students from your area to visit Clarke College. The following is a schedule of the day's activities:

Registration.....	9:30 a.m.
Campus tours.....	10:00-11:00
Program.....	11:00-12:00
Lunch, on your own.....	12:00-1:00
Basketball game.....	2:00
Homecoming Court.....	Halftime

There will be an alumni choir made up of former choir members or anyone who would like to sing. Practice will be held at 10:30 a.m. in the Choral room of the Fine Arts Building.

During the program, various groups, organizations and individuals will be recognized for their participation in and contributions to Clarke College. Among those to be acknowledged will be past presidents of the organizations, Mr. and Miss Clarke College, pageant queens, homecoming queens, and athletes. This is the final notice regarding alumni day. A form has been provided for you to let us know if you plan to attend.



National Bible Week
November 23-30, 1986

Clarke College

Newton, MS

LUNCH

Bar-B-Que Pork on Bun
Spaghetti with meat balls
Corn on the cob
Southern style green beans
yellow squash
peach short cake
chocolate brownies



LUNCH

Mexican beef with nachos and cheese
pork chops
refried beans
english peas
tiny whole potatoes
red velvet cake
jello parfaits

SUPPER

Fried catfish
Shrimp and oyster stew over rice
French fries
Hushpuppies
Baked beans
Mixed vegetables
Chocolate pudding
Lemon ice box pie

Quiet Moments

In Matthew 27: 16-20, Jesus gave us the Great Commission. Let's join in praying, giving and going through the Lottie Moon Christmas Offering. Listen to R. Keith Parks and Martha Brady as they speak on Missions:

BY BOLD GOING

. The Foreign Mission Board named a record 429 persons to begin missionary service in 1985. In that same year, more than 6,750 Southern Baptist volunteers went overseas.

. More than 1,200 Togolese became Christians in 1985. Many of those met Christ through missionaries and North Carolina volunteers involved in a project to bring water, a bridge, better agriculture methods -- and Christ to villagers in a remote area of Togo around the village of Moretan.

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Alumni Homecoming and Preview Day SCHEDULE

Registration.....	9:30 a.m.
Campus Tours.....	10:00-11:00
Program.....	11:00-12:00
Lunch, \$2.50 per person	12:00-1:00
Basketball Game.....	2:00
Homecoming Court... During the lunch hour in cafeteria	

THANKSGIVING

I recently read an article which gave some of the history of our Thanksgiving day that I thought you might enjoy.

"Thanksgiving might not be celebrated in the United States today were it not for a patient, persistent woman named Sarah Hale.

It is well known that the first Thanksgiving day was celebrated by the Pilgrim Fathers in 1621 to give thanks for their first winter in the new world.

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Clarke/Mississippi College President Recognized

Dr. Lewis Nobles, President of Mississippi College and Clarke College which operates as a Division of Mississippi College, has been identified by his peers as being among the 18 most effective college presidents in the United States.

His selection was based on a two-year project funded by the Exxon Education Foundation entitled "The Effective College President." The study was designed by Dr. James L. Fisher, president emeritus of the Council for Advancement and Support of Education (CASE) in Washington, D.C., and author of the book, **The Power of the Presidency**, and Dr. Martha Tack, professor of educational administration and supervision at Bowling Green State University.

Dr. Nobles assumed the presidency of Mississippi College in 1968, joining the College after serving as Dean of the Graduate School and Coordinator of University Research at the University of Mississippi. A pharmaceutical chemist, he earned both the bachelor of science and master of science degrees from the University of Mississippi and in 1952 received the doctor of philosophy degree in pharmaceutical chemistry from the University of Kansas. He has done postgraduate work at the University of Michigan.

Nobles is a native of Meridian and is married to the former Joy Ford of Picayune. They are the parents of two daughters, Mrs. Ben Nash (Sandra) of Clinton, and Suzanne, deceased.

The study examined the personal characteristics, professional background, and attitudes of the men and women

who were identified by their peers as the nation's most effective college presidents. Presidential profiles were developed through use of the Fisher/Tack Effective Leadership Inventory which proved useful in identifying effective college presidents.

According to Fisher, "This study demonstrates that effective presidents are different. They are strong risk-taking leaders with a dream."

Preliminary results of the study show that the effective president relies on respect rather than popularity; believes less in close collegial relationships than other college presidents; tends to work longer hours; does not speak spontaneously as frequently as other presidents; and does not believe as strongly in organizational structure as other presidents.

The most acclaimed presidents care deeply about the welfare of the individual and encourage people to think creatively; appear to make decisions more easily than their representative counterparts; take more risks in order to move the institution forward; and do not often choose other presidents as confidants.

The 18 most effective presidents in the country which were identified included 17 men and one woman. Eight of the 18 were presidents of private, or independent, institutions while 10 were in the public sector.

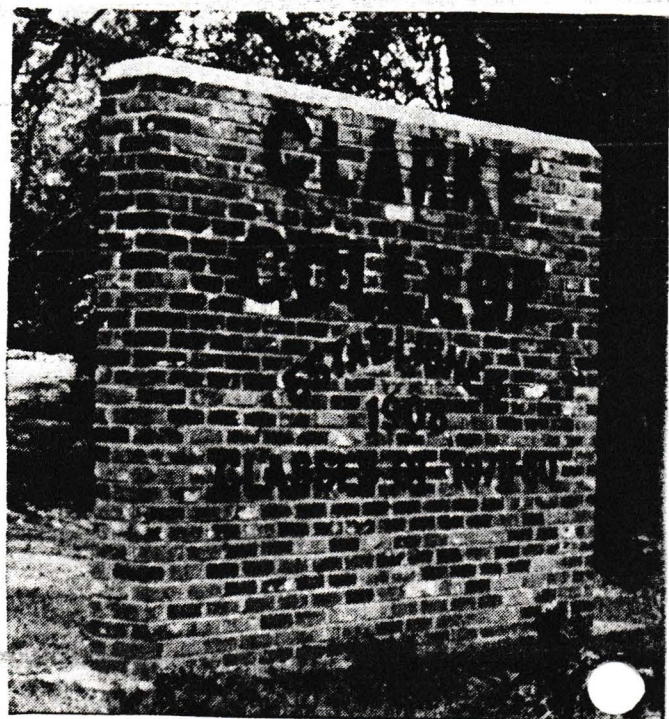
The top 100 most effective college presidents in the country were also identified. Most were from the east and midwest. Results of the study will be published in book form in 1987.

Bulletin Board

Reminder: All news must be turned in to Peggy Brock no later than 4:30 P.M. on Wednesday. Any news received after Wednesday will go into the ATC a week late.

All those buying Sandi Patti tickets from Carla McNally are reminded that the 5.50 must be in by Dec. 1 no later than 12:00 Noon.
Thanks !

Thanksgiving holidays will begin at the end of classes on Tuesday, November 25th. Night classes will not meet that evening. The dorms will close at 4:00 P.M. on Tuesday. No evening meal will be served in the cafeteria. Classes will resume on Monday, December 1. Dorms open at 2:00 P.M. on Nov. 30.



QUIET MOMENTS...

THANKSGIVING...

In 1976, at the beginning of Bold Mission Thrust, 2,667 Southern Baptist missionaries worked in 82 countries. Bold Mission Thrust is the convention's effort to do its part in enabling the whole world to hear the gospel by the turn of the century. Now, ten years later, about 3,700 missionaries serve in 106 countries.

In 1985, 158,626 people came to know Christ as their personal saviour and were baptized in churches related to Southern Baptist missionaries. That's 12 church members per baptism compared to the average of 41 members per baptism in the Southern Baptist Convention that year. Bold Mission Thrust calls for 807,470 baptisms per year by the turn of the century.

Our materialism stands between us and winning the world to Christ. Pennies go to winning the world while we shower dollars on our desires. Why is it we think our own personal comfort is more important than winning the lost world?

R. Keith Parks
President, FMB

"I feel like what we're going to do we'd better do it fast. I certainly do. Nobody knows how long we have, but there are so many people and so many needs.... You know that even though the door is wide open in Belize right now, it could close very quickly. International problems make us know that it's foolish to think we've got any time to waste. We don't."

Martha Brady
Southern Baptist
Missionary, Belize

In 1789, President George Washington issued a Thanksgiving Day Proclamation to commemorate the first Pilgrim celebration. But Thomas Jefferson, the third president of the United States discontinued it, calling Thanksgiving a 'kingly practice'.

After this, Thanksgiving was observed by some individual states and on whatever date suited their fancy.

Then, in 1828, Mrs. Hale, the editor of the magazine, Godey's Lady's Book and author of the poem "Mary Had a Little Lamb", began campaigning for the restoration of Thanksgiving as a national holiday.

She wrote letters and sought appointments with national leaders from the President down. Time after time she was politely rebuffed, sometimes being told it was impossible and impractical, and sometimes being dismissed with a this-is-none-of-your-business scolding.

Finally in 1863, President Lincoln listened seriously to her plea that North and South lay aside enmities and strife on (Thanksgiving) Day. He proclaimed the fourth of November to be the official "National Thanksgiving Day." This day was finally ratified by the U. S. Congress in 1941.

I hope this article in Tan's Encyclopedia of 7700 Illustrations (p. 1459) makes your Thanksgiving Day more meaningful.

John Dent



In the Spotlight

BYW NEWS

In the spotlight this week are two freshmen, the first being Mistye Dawne Rhinewalt. Mistye is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Neal Bradford and the late Mr. Johnny Rhinewalt. Before coming to Clarke, Mistye attended Leake Academy where she was Salutatorian of her senior class, all district basketball, all state two years, and played in the all star game. She also received a Wal-Mart scholarship.

Mistye's hobbies include basketball, horseback riding, reading, cross stitching, and softball.

Mistye stated that she chose Clarke mainly to pursue basketball. In closing she had some very true philosophy that we should all put into practice: "Always listen to the old and the young. The young are our future and the old are our past. Both need our attention."

Also in our spotlight representing the freshman guys is Barry Vinson of Memphis, TN. Barry attended Southaven High School where he was elected Mr. SHS. Most Athletic, Most Handsome and was named to the Hall of Fame. He was a summer worker at Sporting Goods Habit. Barry's hobbies are basketball and softball. Barry stated that he chose Clarke because of the opportunity to play college ball. In closing, he gave a word of advice to us all, "Don't worry about anything."

*A great place
to be
somebody!*

The BYW held its regular meeting on Tuesday, Nov. 18, 1986 at 4:00 P.M. in the Fine Arts Building. There were seven members and one guest speaker present. We discussed the distribution of food to needy families in the Newton area. This will be done in connection with the Cable Television Company.

Our guest speaker was Mrs. Juan Williams of First Baptist Church, Newton. She is a member of the WMU at FBC. Mrs. Williams discussed the purpose of BYW & the help that is received from WMU. Overall the meeting was very informative and encouraging to all the members present. If you missed this meeting, you missed a real treat.

Come and do your part in the mission action of BYW; join us at our next meeting on Tuesday, December 2, at 4:00 P.M.

In Christ, Tonya L.

SWA PREPARES FLOAT

The Student Wives' Association is sponsoring a float in the Christmas parade Dec. 4, downtown Newton. We have asked all other organizations of Clarke: BSU, SBA, MA, BYW and PTK to join in and support us on this project. If there are any organizations we have failed to ask, please contact us. We will begin work on the float on Mon., Dec. 1, in the maintenance shop. Anyone who would like to help decorate the float is encouraged to do so.

FINAL EXAM SCHEDULE

1TTH	-	Thursday	-	December 11	8:00 - 9:30
2TTH	-	Thursday	-	December 11	10:00 - 11:30
3TTH	-	Thursday	-	December 11	12:30 - 2:00
1MWF	-	Friday	-	December 12	8:00 - 9:30
2MWF	-	Friday	-	December 12	10:00 - 11:30
3MWF	-	Friday	-	December 12	12:30 - 2:00
4TTH	-	Friday	-	December 12	2:30 - 4:00
5TTH	-	Monday	-	December 15	8:00 - 9:30
5MWF	-	Monday	-	December 15	10:00 - 11:30

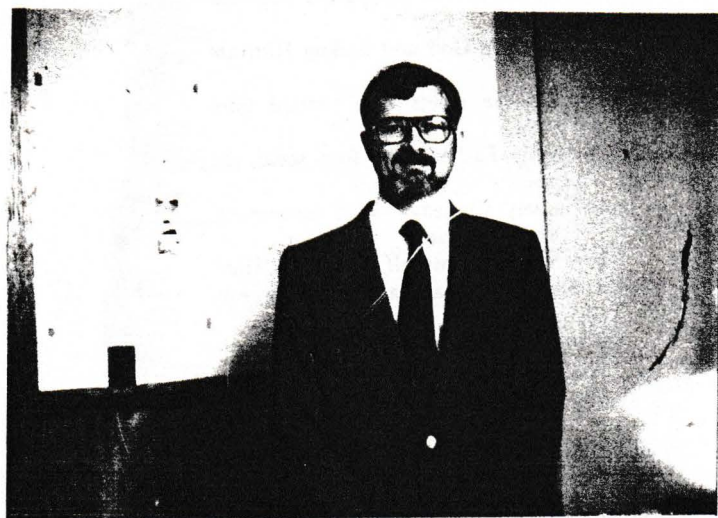
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Missions Emphasis Week at Clarke College

Missions Emphasis Week will be held on the Clarke College campus November 4, 5 and 6. Guest speaker for this special week will be Dr. Phil Dunaway former Chairman, Department of Religion at Clarke. Dr. Dunaway holds the B.S. degree in Math from Mississippi State University, the Masters of Divinity degree from Southwestern Theological Seminary, Fort Worth, Texas and Ph.D in Theology from Baylor University, Waco, Texas. He did special

study at the Jewish Theological Seminary of America and was a US 2 Missionary with the Home Mission Board in the State of Michigan. He was appointed Missionary to Brazil in 1983, to serve as Professor of Theology at the Baptist Seminary in Brasilia from which he is currently on furlough. He and his wife, Laura have two children, Eric 13 and Summers, 8.

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BYW NEWS

The BYW held its second meeting on October 21, in the Fine Arts Building. A large group of young ladies attended the meeting.

Different countries and their prayer needs were discussed at this meeting. The emphasis for the 1986-87 school year is "Gifted to Serve- Called to Act". Special emphasis for the month of October is "World Hunger."

BYW meets on the second and fourth Tuesday of each month at 4:00 P.M. We would like to extend a special invitation to YOU. Come and join in the fun at our next BYW meeting!

Tonya Lidberg

VALLEY FOOD SERVICES PLAN SPECIAL MEAL

Clarke College students have a treat in store this week for their evening meal. On November 13th between 5:30 and 6:30 P.M. Valley Food Service will present "A Night In Old New Orleans." This will be a very formal meal with several guests scheduled to be present. Proper dress is required.

That night, the menu will consist of New Orleans finest. The selection consists of Catfish Des Alle-

mands, steak Cocodrie, baked potatoe, broccoli with hollandaise sauce, carrots Normandy, corn souffle', bengeits, pecan pie, croissants, coffee with chickory, and iced tea. It most definitely sounds delicious.

Please support Jeff and the cafeteria staff as they plan this special meal for you. I'll see you for "A Night in Old New Orleans" Thursday at 5:30 P.M.

Bulletin Board

Monday, Nov. 10 - Basketball
game away EMJC

BSU Executive Council meeting
Monday, Nov. 10, 3:00 P.M.

Nov. 11 - M. A. Meeting 4:00
P.M.

BYW - 3:00 P.M.

Basketball game ECJC
6:00 P.M. away

Mississippi Baptist Convention
Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday &
Thursday 10, 11, 12, & 13.

BEAUTY PAGEANT ELECTIONS -
Wednesday, Nov. 12, 12:00
noon - cafeteria.

Nov. 14 - Basketball game -
Pioneer Classic

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Happy Birthday! to Bonnie Johnson
November 11.

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Quiet Moments

... if thou seek him, he will be found
of thee ... (I Chronicles 28:9).

I will arise and to my Father go;
This very hour the journey is begun.
I start to reach the blissful goal, and, lo,
My spirit at one bound her race has
run.

For seeking God and finding Him are
one.

He feeds the rilllets that toward Him
flow,

It is the Father Who first seeks the
son,

And moves all heavenward movement,
swift or slow.

I dare not pride myself on finding Him.
I dare not dream a single step was
mine.

His was the vigour in the palsied limb—
His the electric fire along the line—
When drowning, His the untaught power
to swim.

Float o'er the surge, and grasp the
rock divine.

From *Found of Them That Sought*
Him Not,

by John Charles Earle.

PTK Happenings

Bobby Seal and Connie Parnell attended the Regional Convention of Phi Theta Kappa in Corinth, MS on November 2 and 3. The theme for the weekend was "The American Dream". Conferences were held representing the past, present, and future of the American Dream.

The trip also included a visit to Shiloh Military Park in Tennessee, a Blue grass music festival, and dinner at the Catfish Hotel in Shiloh. Accompanying the Clarke College students was Mrs. Lynn Baker, PTK Advisor.

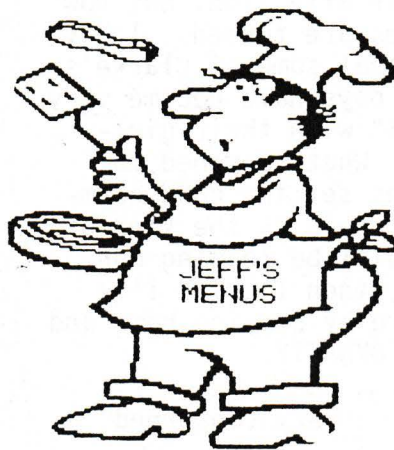
MONDAY

LUNCH

Chicken Fillet Sandwich
Beef Chow-Mein
Minestronie Soup
Cottage Fries
Purple Hull Peas
Swiss spinach
Gingerbread
Assorted Cookies

SUPPER

Veal Parmesian
Hamburgers
new potatoes
cabbage
english peas
steamed carrots
lemon pie
chocolate cake



WEDNESDAY

LUNCH

meat loaf with tomato sauce
fish fillet on bun
baked potato
whole kernal corn
steamed broccoli
coconut cake
swirled pudding

SUPPER

pizza bread
sloppy joes
french fries
english peas with mushrooms
stewed okra
pinapple up-side down cake
chocolate pie

TUESDAY

LUNCH

ham and cassarole
BBQ chicken
cream of broccoli soup
potatoes and gravy
snow peas
cherry tarts
lemon cake

SUPPER

salmon
turkey club sandwiches
squash
hashbrowns
rice and gravy
banana pudding
apple cobbler

THURSDAY

LUNCH

Breaded chicken strips
hotdogs with chili and cheese
green beans
vegetable sticks
rice and gravy
marble cake
marshmallow treates

SUPPER

special meal

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Letters to the Editor

Dear Editor:

I'm very concerned about the present situation of this campus' PDA (Public Display of Affection) rules. So many of the "so called" Christians have put down athletes and other students for "over show-int" their affection, but now the tables are turned. I have noticed that some of Clarke's preacher boys have become very "physical" with their girlfriends. What happened to Christians setting good examples? If this is the kind of men who will be leading our churches, then I think I'll learn more by staying home and wathcing DYNASTY.

Very Concerned

THE NEW ATC

Dear Mr. Editor:

I'm writing in response to the newspaper "Around the Circle". As a whole, I think that it has added a lot to our campus and is quite informative in all aspects of "Clarke College Life." You're doing a fantastic job! I'd like to see more pictures and more "Spotlights" on different students and faculty.

Keep up the good work!

Shea McReynolds

In the Spotlight

This week our SPOTLIGHT is turning its beam toward two people from our junior class. The first being Laura Jo Wedgeworth. Laura Jo is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Wedgeworth of Soso. She is a graduate of West Jones High School where she received several different music awards. Laura Jo attends Calvary Baptist Church in Newton where she serves as church pianist. Before returning to Clarke, she attended William Carey College where she majored in Church Music. She is now majoring in Religious Education. Before going to William Carey, Laura Jo spent one semester as a semester missionary in Jamestown, New York. She relates to her experience that semester as a "life changing experience." Laura Jo has also worked as youth director at Calvary and two years on the staff of Camp Garaywa. She chose Clarke because of the spirit on campus, the love of friends, and the Christian influence of the faculty and staff. She states, "The faculty and staff really do care about you as a person as well as a student." When she has time, she enjoys tennis, bike riding, helping others, playing the piano, and spending time with friends. Her closing comment to me was "... when you come to the place where God is all you have, you'll find He's all you need."

Sidney Thompson is also standing in the spotlight for the junior class this week. He hails from Union, MS where he graduated from Union High School in 1979. Sidney and his wife Pam have two children and the family attends Crossroads Baptist Church where Sidney is Pastor.

At Clarke Sidney is a Bible major. He has been active in Phi Theta Kappa and Ministerial Association. He has also been named to the National Dean's List and the 1986 Who's Who Among American Junior College Students. He is serving as assistant Librarian for this school year.

From his personal side, Sidney stated he likes all types of foods, (especially hamburgers.) He spends his free time either fishing or studying. That explains why he was named to Who's Who and NDL. Sidney came to Clarke because of its location and also because he could receive all of his educational needs. As for what he thinks of Clarke this year "My junior level classes require more outside work." His comments about this year are, "There are several freshmen who have speeded this year up."

JEFFS MENUS...

FRIDAY

LUNCH

Turkey and dressing
Baked Perch
Fried sweet potatoes
Mixed vegetables
Black eyed peas
chest pie
strawberry short cake

SUPPER

cooks choice

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Clarke Professor Writes Sunday School Lessons

Eddie L. Ruddick is the writer of the biblical content study in the July, August, and September issue of the Bible Book Study for Adult Teachers. He is the Chairman of the Department of Religion at Clarke.

Dr. Ruddick is a native of Alabama and is a graduate of Auburn University. He received the Th.D. from New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary. Before coming to Clarke in 1982, Ruddick pastored churches in Alabama. He has previously written Sunday school material for the convention.

The Bible Book Series is used extensively in churches across the nation as a systematic approach to the study of the scriptures. Over a nine year cycle, the series of lessons takes Bible students through all 66 books of the old and new testament. The first nine year series is scheduled to be completed in September of 1987. At that time a new series will begin which takes the Sunday school member through the Bible. The Bible Book lessons written by Dr. Ruddick cover the old testament books of Obadiah, Nahum, Zephaniah, Haggai, Zechariah, Joel and Malachi.



DR. EDDIE L. RUDDICK



This week our spotlight is on Lisa Rockquail Anderson. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Mack Anderson of Forest, MS. She was born February 1, 1968 at S. E. Lackey Memorial Hospital in Forest. Lisa has one brother and he attends Lake High School which she also attended.

When asked why she decided to come to Clarke, she stated, "I decided to come to Clarke because I thought it would be a great place to go and it is." Her future plans were to become a nurse but she is undecided now. One statement she made was that in the future, she wanted to have a husband and children. Well, Lisa, Clarke has many available guys to offer you! We hope you have a great year!

*A
great place
to be
Somebody!*

CLARKE COLLEGE

Bulletin Board

THANKS!

My wife and I would like to thank all the folks who helped us when our apartment caught on fire. Aunt Betty is really thankful for the two guys who rescued her. Thanks again for showing us God's love.

Patricia & Marty
Romero

HOMECOMING ELECTIONS 12:00
noon, Wednesday, Oct. 15,
in the cafeteria.

BASEBALL GAME Tuesday afternoon, Meridian Jr. College, there.

IMPORTANT REQUEST A church conference will be held on our campus tomorrow (Saturday, Oct. 11). A great many visitors from churches in the MS Baptist Convention will be on campus. We ask that all students who are on campus make every effort to be hospitable and helpful to these people.

WELCOME! Mr. and Mrs. John Fant, parents of Rhonda Oney, Nikiski, Alaska. We are delighted that you are visiting our campus!

ALUMNI HOMECOMING AND PREVIEW DAY WILL BE HELD NOV. 22.

MA AND SBA are planning a mission trip to Parchman Penitentiary. People are needed for singing, teaching, and witnessing. If interested, please sign one of the lists on campus bulletin boards.

SINGSPIRATION Thursday 6:00 P.M. Janea Savell will be singing.

Fall Preview Day Set for Oct. 29

Our fall Preview Day is scheduled for Wednesday, October 29. This will be a time when high school students are invited to visit the campus, sit in on classes and meet students, faculty and staff.

We ask that students invite highschool juniors and seniors from their home towns. We'd like for them to know more about our campus and what Clarke has to offer. They will be our guests for lunch in the cafeteria. Schedule for the days activities is as follows:

8:30 a.m. —
Registration in Administration Building.
9:00 a.m. —
Academic Fair & Booths
Refreshments
10:00 a.m.
10:00 - 10:30
10:30 - 11:00
Attend Classes of your choice.
11:00 a.m. — Chapel
12:00 Noon —
Lunch (As our guest)
1:00 p.m. —
Admissions/Financial Aid Advising

LIBRARY HOURS

MON 8am-10pm
TUES 8am-10pm
WED 8am-6pm
THUR 8am-10pm
FRI 8am-3:30pm

SBA News

The Student Body Association is happy to welcome two new members to its council. Suzzie Barnes will be filling Mike Prices vacated position as Junior Representative and Ken Shell will be serving as the new Senior Representative, the position vacated by David Grumbach. Remember that the SBA Council is your voice in student government and campus activities. If you have problems or concerns related to student government, be sure to share it with your representative.

Quiet Moments

For most of us, the 23rd Psalm is one of our most favorite passages of Scripture. I have looked at this passage in Hebrew and in many English translations. But until I read Toki Miyashina's following interpretation, I had not considered it in this way.

THE 23rd PSALM

FOR BUSY PEOPLE

"The Lord is my pacesetter, I shall not rush. He makes me stop and rest for quiet intervals. He provides me with images of stillness which restore my serenity. He leads me in ways of efficiency, through calmness of mind, and His guidance is peace. Even though I have a great many things to accomplish this day, I will not fret, for His presence is here; His timelessness is present. His all-importance will keep me in balance. He prepares refreshment and renewal in the midst of my activity by anointing my mind with the oils of tranquility. My cup of joyous energy overflows. Surely harmony and effectiveness shall be the fruits of my hours, for I shall walk in the pace of my Lord, and dwell in His house forever.

FCA Happenings

The Fellowship of Christian Athletes has gotten off to a strong start this semester. An average of 20 have been in attendance at each meeting. Officers for the '86-87 academic year are as follows:

I am not suggesting that we remove our present 23rd Psalm from our Bibles and insert this interpretation in its place but this interpretation does offer some insight into a necessity for our lives: rest. In the creation accounts of the early chapters of Genesis, God reminds people that rest is a necessary part of life. Far too often not only do we discount that need, but we also rationalize our continuous activities by offering noble reasons why we fail to follow God's leadership in this way.

Do we think that God knew what He was saying, or do we know better than He does?

Reconsider Toki Miyashina's interpretation of the 23rd Psalm. It can speak to us. After all, if we are so busy, how can we listen to God?

John E. Dent, Jr.

President - David Bonner
Vice-President- Paul Bryan
(Kool-aid)

Secretary-Bonnie Johnson
(Bear)

Treasurer-Garland Boyd

Representatives:

Softball-Celeste Stepp
Men's Basketball-Charles
Henderson

Women's Basketball-Gail
Adcock

Baseball-Paul Earley

The purpose of FCA is to present to athletes and coaches and all whom they influence, the challenge and adventure of receiving Jesus Christ as Savior and Lord, serving him in their relationships and in the fellowship of the Church. All athletes are encouraged to attend, to share and be a part of FCA. Looking forward to seeing all of you there!

Cathy Jacobs

~ Around the Circle ~

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BSU RETREAT IS BIG SUCCESS

The annual Baptist Student Union Retreat was held Sept. 19 and 20. A bus load of excited students left Friday afternoon around 2:00 P.M. from the campus headed for LAKE FOREST RANCH in Macon, MS. Of course, there were a few minor delays along the way, with all the fan belts that had to be changed.

Finally arriving at Lake Forest, it was soon made clear that fun would be had by all. The theme for the weekend was

"Christian Higher Education." Naturally, this was a subject by which we were all blessed. The speakers for the weekend were Loyd Lunceford, Associate in the Department of Student Work, Rev. John Brock, Pastor First Baptist Church, Ackerman, MS and Clarke's own Dr. James Read.

Other activities included share time by the campfire, horseback riding, skiing, paddle boating, pool, tennis and the all night water fights between the girls and the guys. Those attending the retreat were: Paul Sizemore, William Spencer, John Newbaker, Paul Bryan, Donna Kay Gomillion, Susan Williams, Tonya Lidberg, Judy Price, Sheila Ethridge, Janea Savell, Carla McNally, Lisa Ainsworth, Suzzie Barnes, Rhonda Owen, Sandy Summers, Caryn Treffner, Karen Howard, J. B. Costilow, Dr. James Read, Cathy Jacobs, Mac Carney, Tony Hickman, Bonnie Johnson.

By: Carla McNally

Descendents of Clarke Founder Visit Campus



Clarke was honored on September 18, by visitors to its campus who were descendants of our Founder, Rev. N. L. Clarke.

Fourth generation granddaughter, Mrs. Aline F. Williams, Houston, TX, and her daughters, Mrs. Annette West, Galveston, TX and Mrs. Joseph C. Simons, Moss Point, MS, fifth generation granddaughters, were welcomed to our library by Mrs. Lynn Baker and Dr. James Read. They were seeking information about Rev. Clarke and the founding of Clarke College to contribute to the establishing of their family tree. These ladies toured the campus and snapped photographs of interesting sites.

Quiet Moments

...thy youth is renewed like
the eagle's (Psalm 103:5).

Now in the days of youth,
when life flows fresh and
free, Thou Lord of all our
hearts and lives, We give
ourselves to thee; Our fer-
vent gift receive, And fit
us to fullfill,
Through all our days, in all
our ways, Our heavenly
Father's will.

Teach us where'er we live,
To act as in thy sight,
and do what Thou wouldst
have us do with radiant
delight;
Not choosing what is great,
nor spurning what is small,
But take as from thy hands
our tasks, and glorify
them all.

Walter J. Mathams

It is good for a young man
that he bear the yoke in his
youth (Lamentations 3:27).

FIVE THINGS

IF YOUR LIPS WOULD KEEP FROM SLIPS,
FIVE THINGS OBSERVE WITH CARE:
TO WHOM YOU SPEAK, OF WHOM YOU
SPEAK, AND HOW AND WHEN AND
WHERE.

IF YOUR EARS WOULD KEEP FROM JEERS,
THESE THINGS KEEP MEEKLY HID:
MYSELF AND ME, OR MY AND MINE, AND
HOW I DO OR DID.

Contemporary Music Chart

These are the top 10
"official" contemporary songs
for the month of September.
Last month the top 3 songs
were LONELY PEOPLE by Don Peek
at number 3, YOU'RE THE SAME
by Leslie Phillips at number 2
and the number 1 song for the
month of August was Sandi
Patti's WAS IT A MORNING LIKE
THIS. Sandi also has another
hit climbing the charts. Last
month LOVE IN ANY LANGUAGE hit
the charts at number 40 and
this month it has moved up to
number 11. First Call's
UNDIVIDED jumped from number 15
last month to number 7 this
month and Kelly Nelon Thomp-
son's WE CAN'T WASTE ANY TIME
moved from number 35 last
month to number 12 this
month. The only other "big
jumper for the month of
September was LOVE by Matthew
Ward. It jumped from number
38 in August to number 16 in
September. Well, there you
have it for the month of
September. See you next
month.

- 1 - LONELY PEOPLE - Dan Peek
- 2 - WAS IT A MORNING LIKE THIS
Sandi Patti
- 3 - ROCKETOWN - Michael W.
Smith
- 4 - ALL THE TIME - Tony Eleburg
- 5 - YOU'RE THE SAME - Leslie
Phillips
- 6 - SOMEWHERE IN THE WORLD -
Wayne Watson
- 7 - UNDIVIDED - First Call
- 8 - WE CAN CHANGE THE WORLD-
Steve Fry
- 9 - MY SOUL DESIRE -
Denise Williams
- 10 - TO FILL OUR EMPTY HEARTS

PANTHERS TAKE 2

FROM MJC

Paul Sizemore- Sports Reporter

After a disappointing loss to E.C.J.C in the first game of fall season, the Clarke College Panther baseball squad bounced back and put two notches in the win column Thursday afternoon by defeating M.J.C. in both games of a double header.

The Panthers took the first game by a score of 4-2 behind some good pitching and a much improved defense. Pitching and defense were also the keys to victory in the second game which the Panthers won by a score of 7-4. Clarke showed some power with the bats in the second game by connecting on 6 hits including a 2 run home run in the fourth inning by Kevin Tracy. Clarke Coaches said they saw an overall improved effort than in the first game of the season with EC which the Panthers lost by a score of 8-3.

The Panthers continue their fall schedule Thursday October 23 when they take a 2-1 record to E.C. for another double header. The Panthers' next home game will be Tuesday, October 23, against Jones.

Intramural Sports

The girls' Intramural Flag Football tournament got underway September 16, with Team I defeating Team 2 by a score of 30-6. Team I looked virtually unstoppable with their potent offensive attack. Team 3 now drops down into the losers' bracket and will play the loser of the game between Team I and Team 3 on Sept. 23. The championship game will be held Monday, September 30, at 6:15 P.M.

The mens' Intramural Flag Football tournament got underway Monday afternoon with Heavenbound defeating the Revelations by a score of 34-28. The Revelations now drop into the losers bracket to play the Boys from Beirut who lost their first game to forfeit. The game will be played Tuesday, September 23, at 6:15 P.M. The winner will then play Heavenbound September 25, for the championship. Look for reports on both games next week.

